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Detroit to Halt Strike Evictions, Permit Big Rally

Mayor's Action Eases Tension as General Tie-up Threatens.

Police 'Brutality' Charge Is Denied

100,000 to 200,000 Expected to Join Mass Meeting Tonight.

On the Labor Front.

Detroit will permit a huge union mass meeting, and police will not evict "peaceful sit-down strikers," Mayor Couzens announced, easing the tense situation.

Pact reached, which when ratified by workers, will end strike that closed 90 stores in Providence, R. I., for a day.

Roswell Magill, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, called a conference for tomorrow between Treasury officials and rail labor and management representatives to iron out differences over tax schedules in proposed rail retirement legislation.

John McDill Fox, former dean of Catholic University, asserted that remarks made in an address by James M. Landis, Security and Exchange Commission chairman, relating to future concepts of legality of sit-down strikes had been misinterpreted.

Permit Mass Rally.

By the Associated Press.

Detroit, March 22.—Mayor Frank Couzens tonight announced that Detroit police will not evict "peaceful sit-down strikers" and that he will urge a permit for the huge mass meeting planned by the striking auto workers and their sympathizers.

The statement eased a situation which had been growing more tense hourly after police met the threat of a general Detroit auto strike with continued evictions and the council had refused a permit for the mass meeting, which from 100,000 to 200,000 are expected to attend.

The mayor's announcement followed a long conference with Homer Martin, Richard Frankensteen, of the Auto Union, and Frank Z. Martel, president of the Detroit and Wayne County Federation of Labor.

The U. A. W. had planned to hold the meeting in defiance of the council at 5 p. m. in Cadillac Square near the city hall. Mayor Couzens said it was agreed the meeting would be held at 5:45 p. m. at the east end of the square, near the county building, to avoid congestion on Woodward avenue.

The mayor said it was agreed the meeting was to be "peaceful and orderly" and under the protection of city police "so as to prevent any unlawful or outside interference."

Police Brutality Denied.

The agreement was contingent upon the council's concurrence," he said.

Couzens read a prepared statement denying police had employed brutality in ejecting sit-down strikers.

"Concerning the publicity that the Detroit police department and the mayor have used brutality in the eviction of sit-down strikers," the mayor said, "I wish publicly to deny and to state emphatically that such charges are untrue. * * *

"We (the mayor and the police department) reaffirm our positive statement that there will be no interference in peaceful so-called sit-down strikes."

Asked if the U. A. W. strike which closed all divisions of the Chrysler Corporation fell in the "peaceful" category, Superintendent of Police Heinrich A. Pickert said: "That's a court matter."

Union Heads Defiant.

Prior to the conference, union officials had been openly defiant of the council in its denial of a mass meeting permit.

Earlier in the day Martin, president of the C. I. O. Union, had declared "we are not bluffing in this matter" and repeated his threat of calling a general strike in the industry in Detroit.

If called such a strike would add approximately 200,000 the 90,000 now on strike in this city. If extended to include the General Mo-

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Behind the News
with
The Postilion
The third of a new series of broadcasts . . . conducted by Tom McCarthy, The Washington Post's radio commentator . . . tonight, on
WMAL
at 10:15 P.M.

'Sit-Down' Marriage Plans Are Blasted

Pittsburgh, March 22 (U.P.).—Louis P. Sowa's plans to be the first sit-down strike bridegroom struck a snag today when his two employers, E. L. and W. D. Stevenson, managers of a strike-closed insulation products company, took a firm stand against Cupid.

"We're not running a marriage agency around here," said the one, "and if any reverend comes around he'll be arrested."

Sowa and 21 other employes went on strike today and plans were announced for a wedding Saturday night. Marguerite Myers, 18, daughter of the prospective husband's landlady, was the intended bride.

The strikers have made no specific demands. "I don't know what they want," said E. L. Stevenson, "so I'm going to turn out the lights and the gas and go home and let them sit."

Escaping Gas Is Found in 2d Texas School

State Safety Laws Urged; Schoch Confirms Leak as Cause of Blast.

By the Associated Press.

New London, Tex., March 22.—Accumulated gas under the basement floor caused the blast that killed 455 school children and teachers in the London Consolidated School, Dr. E. P. Schoch, University of Texas explosions expert, told a military court of inquiry in a formal opinion today.

Dr. Schoch, who had been asked by the court to give an expert's opinion on the cause at the end of testimony, said "all indications point indubitably toward an explosion under the floor."

The court of inquiry adjourned and martial law in the tragedy-ridden area was lifted immediately after Dr. Schoch announced his conclusion.

Cause of Explosion.

"The whole building went up at once; the basement was destroyed and bodies were found on earth," Dr. Schoch said.

He would not theorize as to how the blast started but said testimony given by 15-year-old John Dial, student, that the explosion occurred immediately after his teacher had thrown a light switch, was a strong possibility.

Dr. Schoch said he "couldn't say where it started but it could have been on any one of the 72 radiators." He said gas leakage could have been been caused by radiators having been moved or hit by a stumbling person.

Dr. Schoch's statement followed startling testimony from Gordon C. Hawley, chief engineer for the State Fire Insurance Department, that an investigation but a few hours before had shown gas was escaping under another school in this area. He demanded rigid safety measures.

Capt. Zachariah Coombes, judge advocate, had announced he had no more witnesses on call and asked if anyone wished to make a statement.

Asks State Safety Laws.

Hawley stepped up and told of discovery of a leak of 720 cubic feet of gas a day at the nearby Carlisle School. "In my opinion, this tragedy would not have happened if certain regulatory measures had been taken," he said. "I think we should have a State electric law, a State boiler factory code, a State exit code and all other general safety measures, and give the State authority to make 'em behave."

Dial said the explosion occurred just as his manual training teacher, T. R. Butler, threw a light switch.

"I was making a cabinet. Mr. Butler reached up and pulled the light switch. Then the noise came and a flash of fire blinded me. I didn't actually see the switch, but you know they generally make little sparks fly when they are pulled."

The stricken community buried the last of its dead today, except for

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Rebels Halt Rout to Give Battle Again

Il Duce Reported Rushing Back to Rome After Fascist Retreat.

Defeated Troops Will Make New Stand on Guadalajara Front.

European Developments.

France, speeding nationalization of war industries, took over two of its largest airplane factories and expropriated a third today.

Diplomats at Paris, according to the United Press, revealed Danubian and Baltic nations were co-operating in a move to free themselves from domination by larger powers—the result of war fears.

Insurgent forces in Spain halted their retreat and prepared to make a new stand.

Premier Benito Mussolini returned to Rome from Libya a day ahead of schedule.

Insurgents End Retreat.

By the Associated Press.

Madrid, March 22.—Spanish insurgents stiffened their resistance today against advancing government troops in the upper Guadalajara sector northeast of Madrid and made plans for a pitched battle.

Defense planes, outdistancing the Madrid infantry, bombed Jadraque, important insurgent position to the west and the Guadalajara highway, and noted the preparations for battle.

Having lost most of the territory taken in recent offensives, the insurgents apparently had decided to entrench and await the pursuing government force at this important communications center.

The Madrid militia, continuing northward along the Guadalajara highway to push the enemy further from the capital, had to slow the advance today in the face of stronger resistance.

The retarded offensive was in part deliberate, officers added, to allow columns operating to the right and left of the highway to clear surrounding country of any danger of flank attacks.

Successes by the column to the east of the highway were believed to have removed the danger of a Fascist thrust along the Tajuno and Tagus Rivers, which lead to the Cuenca highway and other important communications routes between Madrid and the coast.

A large number of tanks supported today's advance to the west of the highway. Several times they were sent into action against insurgent contingents.

Employment of tanks has been greatest on the government side in the Guadalajara fighting since the start of the war—80 were used in one battle.

On the Avila front, to the south militia artillery concentrated on insurgent-held Navalperal de Pinares, railroad town and a main base for insurgents.

The government militia changed tactics in this area, adopting a frontal advance through Valdemaqueda some distance southeast of Navalperal.

Mussolini Returns.

By the Associated Press.

Rome, March 22.—Premier Benito Mussolini returned to Italy today a day ahead of schedule from his tour of the Italian possession of Libya.

Officials declared there was no political significance in his early home-coming. Italy's attitude, they said, remains unchanged toward Spain and her answer concerning new Locarno guarantees already is in the hands of the British foreign office.

They pointed out, moreover, that Il Duce has been in constant touch with state affairs and, throughout his trip to North Africa, observed his custom of making necessary decisions wherever he found himself.

Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg, of Austria, it was announced, is expected here after Easter on one of his frequent vacations in Italy. On such trips he usually confers with Mussolini or the Italian foreign ministry concerning the Rome protocol which binds Italy, Austria and Hungary.

France, Britain Alert.

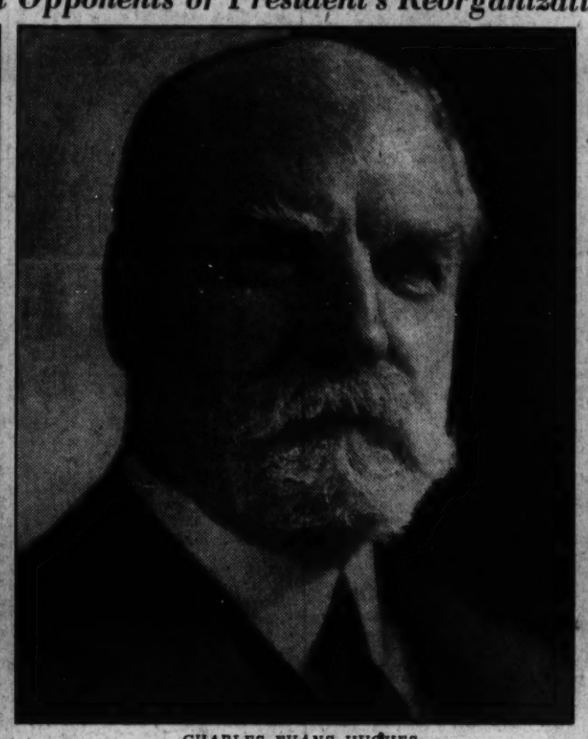
Paris, March 21 (AP).—The French foreign office kept close contact with British officials tonight, apparently convinced that Premier Mussolini's return today from Africa was connected with defeat of Italian soldiers in Spain.

Official French sources expressed belief that Mussolini hastened from his Libyan tour after reports of insurgent setbacks in the civil war and that he might decide now whether to withdraw support from Insurgent Gen. Francisco Franco or to aid him more directly with troops.

Court Change Would Impair Efficiency, Hughes Declares in Letter to Wheeler; Brandeis, Van Devanter Support Stand

High Court Opponents of President's Reorganization Program

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE WILLIS VAN DEVANTER.



CHARLES EVANS HUGHES, Chief Justice, U. S. Supreme Court.

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE LOUIS D. BRANDEIS.

First Formal Comment of Justices Disclosed at Senate Hearing.

Delay in Handling Of Cases Denied

Montana Senator Says Cummings to Blame in Faulty Legislation.

By Robert C. Albright.

Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes yesterday advised the Senate Judiciary Committee by proxy that the Administration's judiciary program would "impair" the efficiency of the Supreme Court.

His views were expressed in a letter to Senator Burton K. Wheeler, of Montana, and read by Wheeler before the committee, as the opposition opened its case.

It was the first formal word from the court on the judiciary controversy, and scrupulously avoided all questions of "policy." Facts and figures were dispassionately presented to show that the court "is fully abreast of its work."

Hughes said that Justice Louis D. Brandies and Justice Willis Van Devanter approved of his views. He said he is "confident" they acord with beliefs of the other justices.

Surprise to Committee.

The letter was dated Sunday, March 21. It was unexpected, opposition leaders having disclosed that none of the justices would testify. The committee listened in silence, as Wheeler, reading with effective emphasis, made full dramatic capital of its contents.

"An increase in the number of justices of the Supreme Court, apart from any question of policy, which I do not discuss, would not promote the efficiency of the court," Hughes had written. "It is believed that it would impair that efficiency as long as the court acts as a unit."

Meeting Administration arguments that an enlarged court might be paneled into divisions to expedite hearings, the Chief Justice pointed out that the Constitution vests the judicial power "in one Supreme Court" and in the inferior courts.

"The Constitution does not appear to authorize two or more Supreme Courts or two or more parts of a Supreme Court functioning in effect as separate courts," Hughes said. Divisions within a larger court for the purpose of hearing cases, he said, would be "impracticable."

Performance "Adequate."

Conceding the work of the court is "laborious," Hughes wrote that performance was "adequate" and from the standpoint of efficiency nothing would be gained by enlargement.

"There would be more judges to hear, more judges to confer, more judges to discuss, more judges to be convinced and to decide," he wrote Wheeler. "The present number of justices is thought to be large enough so far as the prompt, adequate and efficient conduct of the work of the court is concerned."

From time to time as he read, Wheeler, leader of the liberal opposition to the court plan, drove home the points with remarks of his own. Friends of the court bill showed little inclination to discuss the letter in the cross-examination that followed. Senator William H. Dieterich (Democrat), Illinois, mildly suggested that some letters from nonwitnesses had been ruled out of the record, but did not press his point.

Wheeler proceeded then with his own statement, but not before recalling the "crowded docket" arguments used by the Administration when the plan was first offered.

"What becomes of those arguments now?" he asked.

"When the President's message came up here we were led to believe that the Supreme Court was behind in its work, and because of it, they had to reject several hundred cases a year. It is deplorable if the President received misinformation from the Attorney General, who should know better than any other man."

Two developments featured Wheeler's subsequent testimony.

The Montanan said a majority of the opposition is willing to "submerge" its personal views and support a constitutional amendment offered by the President, if Mr. Roosevelt abandons his remodeling program.

Senator Joseph C. O'Mahoney (Democrat), Wyoming, interrupted to suggest that the Judiciary Committee "recess" after one or two days more testimony, and consider a constitutional amendment. This met with the concurrence of Wheeler, but the swift disapproval of Chairman Henry F. Ashurst.

Interpolating his testimony with expression of distaste for "official"

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Chief Justice Hughes' Letter

Text of Chief Justice Hughes' letter to Senator Wheeler expressing his opposition to the President's court plan:

My Dear Senator Wheeler: In response to your inquiries, I have the honor to present the following statement with respect to the work of the Supreme Court:

1. The Supreme Court is fully abreast of its work. When we rose on March 15 (for the present recess) we had heard argument in cases in which certiorari had been granted only four weeks before—February 15.

During the present term, which began last October and which we call October term, 1936, we have heard argument on the merits of 150 cases (180 numbers) and we have 26 cases (30 numbers) awaiting argument. We shall be able to hear all these cases, and such others as may come up for argument, before our adjournment for the term. There is no congestion of cases upon our calendar.

Gratifying Condition.

This gratifying condition has obtained for several years. We have been able for several terms to adjourn after disposing of all cases which are ready to be heard.

2. The cases on our docket are classified as original and appellate. Our original jurisdiction is defined by the Constitution and embraces cases to which States are parties. There are not many of these. At the present time they number 13 and are in various stages of progress to submission for determination.

Our appellate jurisdiction covers those cases in which appeal is allowed by statute as a matter of right and cases which come to us on writs of certiorari.

The following is a comparative statement of the cases on the dockets for the six terms preceding the current term:

For Terms 1930-1932.

	1930.	1931.	1932.
Total cases on dockets	1,039	1,023	1,037
Disposed of during term	900	884	910
Cases remaining on dockets	139	139	127
Distribution of cases—cases disposed of—			
Original cases	8	1	4
Appellate—on merits	326	282	257
Petition for certiorari	566	601	649
Remaining on dockets—			
Original cases	16	19	17
Appellate—on merits	76	60	56
Petitions for certiorari	47	60	54

For Terms 1933-1935.

	1933.	1934.	1935.
Total cases on dockets	1,132	1,040	1,092
Disposed of during term	1,029	931	990
Cases remaining on docket	103	109	102
Distribution of cases—cases disposed of—			
Original cases	4	5	4
Appellate—on merits	293	256	269
Petitions for certiorari	732	670	717
Remaining on dockets—			
Original cases	15	13	12
Appellate—on merits	43	51	56
Petitions for certiorari	45	45	34

Further statistics for these terms and those for earlier terms are available if you desire them.

During the present term we have thus far disposed of 666 cases which include petitions for certiorari and cases which have been argued on the merits and already decided.

3. The statute relating to our appellate jurisdiction is the act of February 13, 1925; 43 Stat. 936. That act limits to certain cases the appeals which come to the Supreme Court as a matter of right. Review in other cases is made to depend upon the allowance by the Supreme Court of a writ of certiorari.

Where the appeal purports to

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D.C. to Get Sum Of $5,000,000, Thomas Asserts

Senator Terms Jacobs Committee Estimate Inadequate.

Senator Elmer Thomas (Democrat), of Oklahoma, chairman of the Senate District appropriations subcommittee, said last night the recommendations of the Jacobs fiscal relations committee will be ignored and that Congress will appropriate $5,000,000 in Federal funds to the District for the fiscal year of 1938.

Senator Thomas, one of the legislators responsible for creation of the Jacobs committee, which made a detailed study of fiscal relationships between the District of Columbia and the Federal Government, was the first spokesman for either the House or Senate appropriations sub-committees to indicate that the Jacobs formula would not be followed.

Words Applauded.

According to Thomas' statement, made last night at a dinner given by District employes in honor of the reappointment of Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen and Commissioner George E. Allen, the District will receive the same amount from the Federal Treasury in the next fiscal year as it received under the current appropriation. This $5,000,000 is nearly twice the recommendation of the Jacobs committee, $2,533,000.

Thomas, whose statement was greeted by tumultuous applause by those attending the dinner, said that he had hoped the fiscal relations committee would work out a satisfactory formula.

"But, so far as I am concerned," he said, "the report is not satisfactory to Congress or to the citizens of the District of Columbia. I am safe in saying that the Senate committee will take the position that the question has not been settled."

Cites Higher Expenses.

"Pending further study or development of a better formula, it shall be the position of my committee to carry in the appropriation bill for 1937-38 the same amount as is

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Wheeler Makes Matrons Drop Jaws, Stitches

Knits Become Purls When Montanan Testifies at Court Hearing.

By Sidney Olson.

Like the French women of another day, who knitted placidly around the guillotine that creaked up and crashed down on the royalists of the time, the knitting ladies of Washington have knitted placidly for two weeks in the Senate caucus room.

Yesterday there were dropped stitches for the first time; there were purls where knits should be. Even more, there were cigarettes held unmindful in male hands until a burn recalled the moment.

When Senator Burton K. Wheeler, of Montana, began to read the long letter with the scrawled blue signature, "Charles Evans Hughes," the echoing white marble walls heard no other sounds than the edged voice of the lean-cheeked liberal.

All Could Hear.

For the first time every one in the room could hear.

The bejeweled fingers of the knitting matrons were still in their laps. They had dropped neither stitches nor jaws for two weeks—now they dropped both. In all the sessions since the President first proposed his plan to pack, repack or unpack the Supreme Court (choose one, according to point of view), there has been no sensation to equal this second-handed speech from the Olympian heights.

In a word, Senator Wheeler panicked the customers. He would have laid 'em in the aisles if the aisles hadn't already been jammed with more customers.

Incidentally, the Montana liberal

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'Flying Duchess' Lost in England

London, March 22 (AP).—Britain's 71-year-old "flying duchess"—the Duchess of Bedford—was missing tonight after starting a solo flight this afternoon, and it was feared she was a crash victim.

Patrols searched the Bedfordshire countryside for a trace of the plane in which the duchess hopped off from Woburn at 9:30 a. m. (E. S. T.) for what was to have been a short flight.

She took up flying at the age of 62 and has flown thousands of miles in many parts of the world.

Crew of 72 Rescued From Blazing Steamer

London, March 22 (AP).—Lifeboats from the shore today rescued the crew of 72 from the blazing steamer Marie Moller off Holyhead on the northeastern coast of Wales.

The ship was abandoned when flames enveloped her after two explosions. She was bound to Liverpool from Shanghai with a cargo of peanuts.

Watch Your Step—And Live!

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Safety Patrol Cuts Accidents, But Carelessness Continues

By Howard F. Wentworth

(Winner of first prize in the Nation-wide C. I. T. Safety Contest with his 1936 series appearing in The Post.)

Since March 15—when the new safety patrol first started its daily cruise of city streets—the traffic accident trend has shown a steady decrease, dropping to a new weekend low on Sunday.

Records at the Department of Vehicles and Traffic show only 53 accidents for Saturday and Sunday of last week. And the majority of these were minor.

On Saturday—conceded to be a "danger" day—31 mishaps were reported. This was against the previous Saturday with 38. On Sunday, however, only 22 accidents were recorded as compared with 54 for the Sunday before.

The downward trend also has applied to the number of personal injuries and there hasn't been a traffic fatality within the city limits for nearly two weeks.

The average person will acknowledge a dislike for figures and statistics.

"But," said Traffic Director William A. Van Duzer yesterday, "when figures and statistics mean the difference between life and death, it pays to analyze them. On Sunday, we had the lowest number of traffic accidents for any time during recent months. These figures mean something—and we hope they mean a general awakening among motorists."

But in spite of the safety trend, Policeman George M. Patton, the "safety officer," yesterday encountered some of the most flagrant exhibitions of law flouting since the patrol began. The offenders were operating the most deadly of high-

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Parisienne Claims She Was Il Duce's Mistress For 3 Months Before Count Ruined Romance

By the United Press.

Paris, March 22.—Exotic Madeleine de Fontanges, held for the shooting of the Count de Chambrun because he shattered "my hours of unforgettable love" with Premier Benito Mussolini, today told an examining magistrate she was Il Duce's mistress between April and July of last year.

The magistrate asked her, during a two-hour hearing at the Palais de Justice, whether she ever had been intimate with Mussolini.

"Yes," she replied blandly. "I was his mistress between last April and July."

Referring to her last rendezvous with Mussolini in July, she said:

"He was tender and sweet with me as he had been on the previous occasions."

She described how, last November, she tried to commit suicide in Rome after Mussolini had jilted her.

The man responsible for Il Duce's lost love, she said bitterly, was the Count de Chambrun, whom she tried to kill last Wednesday. He violated her confidences, she explained, and caused Mussolini to end their clandestine romance.

The dark-haired beauty, whose lurid diary of "confessions" threatens to create an international scandal if ever made public, told of repeated rendezvous with Mussolini.

Frequently, she said, they met in Rome's Venezia Palace, Mussolini's official residence.

The 29-year-old former actress and journalist described the events of her adventurous life and scattered loves up to the point of her attempted suicide. Then the magistrate adjourned the hearing until April 8. Meanwhile she will be subjected to a mental examination.

Mme. Fontanges, during two hours of testimony, told of her grievance against the Count de Chambrun, former Ambassador to Rome and an honorary American citizen by virtue of his Lafayette ancestry.

The 62-year-old Count, she said, went to Mussolini and warned him against continuing their affair.

So, brooding over her loss of Mussolini's love, she followed the Count around Paris for several days with a small revolver in her handbag, she related. She caught up with him in the Nord Railroad station last Wednesday and fired a bullet into his thigh before her gun jammed and the police rushed up.

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Treasury Acts To End Dispute On Rail Pension

Magill Moves for Truce as Agreement Is Jeopardized.

By William V. Nessly.

Acting Secretary of the Treasury Roswell Magill moved last night to end the dispute that has endangered the newly reached agreement on substitute railroad retirement legislation.

The agreement, arrived at after more than two months of negotiations between representatives of the roads and their employes, encountered an obstacle almost at once when the acting Treasury head declared the pay roll tax rate agreed on would fall considerably short of producing enough revenue to pay the pensions provided.

Last night he called a conference at the Treasury tomorrow at which representatives of the carriers, the unions, the Railroad Retirement Board and probably members of Congress will attempt, with the Treasury officials, to work out a solution.

The substitute legislation was designed to replace present acts which have been attacked in the courts by the roads. Late in December, President Roosevelt asked the carriers and the employes to confer and try to reach an agreement on revision of the retirement act which was to expire February 28.

Conferences were begun January 7 but no agreement had been reached by the end of February and Congress extended provisions of the act until June 30, 1938. Last week the Association of American Railroads and the Railway Labor Executives Association jointly announced completion of a plan, mutually satisfactory, for a pension system for the 1,500,000 railroad employes that would put an end to present litigation.

Tax Rate Reduced.

While the present act provided a tax amounting to 7 per cent of the roads' pay roll, half to be deducted from workers' pay and half to be given by the carriers, the proposed substitute cut the rate to 5 per cent, equally divided between the roads and employes. The rate was to increase gradually until the 7 per cent figure was reached in 12 years.

Before the agreement was announced by the joint conferees, the general terms were submitted to President Roosevelt and the Treasury. Experts of the Treasury quickly came to the conclusion that the lowered tax rate would not provide sufficient money to carry the annuity load, and after the agreement had been announced by J. J. Pelley, president of the roads' association, and George M. Harrison, chairman of the union presidents' organization, Magill issued a statement to that effect.

Pelley and Harrison replied with a statement that the settlement had been based on "careful actuarial studies and calculations by the Railroad Retirement Board, confirmed by actuaries in the employ of the respective groups, which studies indicate the tax payments will carry the load."

While the Treasury has not made public the amount of shortage figures will be encountered under the lowered tax rate, officials have indicated they believe the full 7 per cent rate should be maintained.

Talks With Murphy.

Meanwhile, David B. Robertson, president of the Brotherhood of Firemen and Enginemen, announced at Chicago that demands for a 20 per cent wage increases for railroad workers went out to all railroads in the United States yesterday.

The demands were made on behalf of the 300,000 members of the five train operating brotherhoods, including trainmen and switchmen, engineers, firemen, enginment and conductors, the Associated Press reported.

Other labor activity in the Capital yesterday was concentrated in efforts to help Gov. Frank Murphy of Michigan bring a settlement of the critical strike situation in Chrysler motor plans.

Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins talked with Gov. Murphy by telephone and also received phone reports from James F. Dewey, commissioner of conciliation, whom she had sent to Detroit last week.

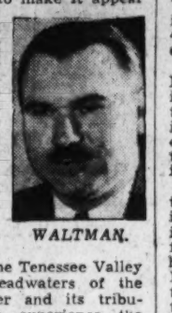
Edward F. McGrady, Assistant Secretary of Labor, also talked with Lewis in the latter's office.

Politics and People

Roosevelt, Seeking Analogy Between Tennessee and Ohio Valleys, Cited Incomparable Conditions in Flood Talk.

By Franklyn Waltman

SOME days ago in a discussion of President Roosevelt's effort in his Democratic Victory dinner speech to make it appear that the Supreme Court was thwarting flood control programs and was responsible for the flood havoc which occurred in January along the Ohio River, the contention was made in this column that there was no serious flood damage along the Tenessee Valley because the headwaters of the Tennessee River and its tributaries did not experience the heavy, unrelenting rains that fell along the Ohio.



WALTMAN.

Mr. Roosevelt intimated that conditions in the Ohio and Tennessee valleys during January were similar and that therefore the Tennessee Valley was saved from disaster solely because of the TVA dams. He further intimated that if the Tennessee projects had been constructed on the Ohio River, the cities along that waterway would have escaped disaster.

Seizing upon a figure for rainfall in the headwaters of the Tennessee which was in error and was used inadvertently, a spokesman for the TVA and Senator George W. Norris, father of that undertaking, have insisted that the conclusion projected by the conductor of this column was in error and that the President had been maligned.

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Senator Norris and the TVA spokesman centered their attack on the statement which appeared in this column that "the reason why the Tennessee Valley escaped the flood havoc suffered by the Ohio Valley was not due to TVA but because there was only normal rainfall—4.59 inches—during January at the headwaters of the Tennessee and the Clinch River, which empties into it, whereas from 8 to 20 inches of rain fell in the Ohio Valley."

The statement that rainfall at the headwaters of the Tennessee and Clinch rivers was normal during January is not correct. This error resulted from using as a figure for the rainfall throughout the entire month in the eastern division of Tennessee a Weather Bureau figure of 4.5 inches, which correctly was the precipitation in that section only for the period of the heaviest sustained rainfall—from January 17 to January 24.

But the rainfall in the eastern division of Tennessee (the section in which are located the headwaters of the Tennessee, the Clinch River and Norris Dam) was not three times above normal, as has been contended. It was for the entire month about 2.4 times the normal for that section.

The rainfall for all of January in the eastern division of Tennessee was 11.02 inches, which was 6.02 inches above normal. The rainfall for the middle division of Tennessee was 15.97 inches; for the western division of the State it was 18.47 inches and for the entire State it was 14.74 inches. For the period of heaviest rainfall—from January 17 to 24—the Weather Bureau reports that rain in the eastern division averaged 4.5 inches; 8.4 inches in the middle and 13.3 inches in the West.

"In other words," the Weather Bureau asserts in its climatological data report, "the rainfall in this period was three times heavier in the western than in the eastern division, with several stations receiving in excess of 8 inches within a 48-hour period.

Thus during the crucial days of the January flood—when rail fell in torrents in the Ohio Valley and in western Tennessee—the rainfall was much lighter over the headwaters of the Tennessee River. For instance, at Johnsonville, in the middle part of Tennessee, there fell in this period 17.18 inches of rain out of 23.51 inches recorded there for the full month; but at Clinton, on the Clinch River—above the Norris Dam—there fell in the January 15-17 period but 5.4 inches of rain out of a total for the month of 13.62 inches. In other words, more than three times as much rain fell during this period at Johnsonville, in western Tennessee, as at Clinton, in the headwaters of the Tennessee River.

The point of all this is to show that the rain in the eastern part of Tennessee—while not as heavy as in other parts—also was more diversified over the month, an important factor in appraising the effect of rain on rivers. This aspect of the situation is well illustrated by a table appearing in the Weekly Weather and Crop Bulletin for the week ending January 26.

This table shows that during the week which ended January 26 the rainfall at Memphis, Tenn., on the Mississippi River, was 10.2 inches; at Chattanooga, Tenn., on the upper Tennessee River, it was 2.3 inches; at Knoxville, on the upper Tenessee River it was 2.5 inches; at Louisville, Ky., on the Ohio River, it was 9.3 inches, and at Cincinnati, Ohio, on the Ohio River, it was 7.2 inches.

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The fact is that the Weather Bureau reports for January report flood conditions on the lower Tennessee River but not on the upper Tennessee River. Indeed, on the Tennessee River at Chattanooga the maximum flows of water for January were recorded not in the latter part of the month, but in the first few days. Thus the river was in flood stage at Chattanooga on January 4—but not later in the month. The river at Knoxville, which is above the TVA dams, did not reach a flood stage at any time during the month.

The United States Geological Survey figures of instantaneous discharges of water in cubic feet per second indicate that while the volume of the Tennessee was unusual during the first few days of January and again during the Ohio flood period, it did not reach unprecedented proportions, as occurred on the Ohio River.

Thus at Knoxville the maximum water discharge was 90,000 cubic feet per second on January 4. The all-time maximum for Knoxville is 195,000 feet. The TVA dams have no effect on Knoxville. At Chattanooga, which is below the Norris Dam, the maximum discharge was 207,000 cubic feet per second on January 4, when the gauge was 3 feet above flood stage.

How much water was being retained by the Norris Dam at this time is not known, but the TVA spokesman said that during the period of the Ohio flood the Norris Dam held back an average of 32,000 cubic feet per second. Assuming the Norris Dam held back that amount of water prior to the January 4 peak at Chattanooga, the volume of water without the dam there would have been but about 240,000 cubic feet per second. The recorded all-time maximum water discharged at Chattanooga was 361,000 cubic feet per second on March 1, 1875, and there are numerous incidents of a water flow at Chattanooga in excess of 250,000 second feet.

Above Tazewell—before the Norris Dam is reached—the maximum discharge for January was 26,500 second feet on the 19th of the month, compared with 37,800 second feet on January 31, 1932. The maximum Norris Dam inflow for the month is reported to be 49,000 second feet on January 3, dropping to 4,000 second feet on January 10 and then rapidly going up to 45,000 second feet on January 25. The TVA in a recent report to Congress gave the maximum known flow at the Norris Dam site as 115,000 cubic feet per second in 1886, and the average flow as 4,600 second feet.

These figures indicate that records were by no means being broken in the upper Tennessee Valley during January. But the Weather Bureau reports that "the Ohio and Kentucky rivers rose to stages never before known" and that the crests reached at Cincinnati and Louisville were "nine to ten feet above the highest previously known flood, that of February 1884."

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The foregoing has been very technical but it demonstrates that the President in seeking to draw an analogy between the Tennessee and Ohio Valleys in January was comparing unprecedented conditions with situations that have occurred before and which were not really comparable. Perhaps more understandable to the lay reader will be the following excerpts from a speech delivered before the Flood Control Conference of the Mississippi Valley Association at St. Louis on March 12 by Representative Will M. Whittington, chairman of the House Flood Control Committee:

"It is said there was no great flood in 1937 along the Tennessee River," asserted Chairman Whittington." The building of the Norris Dam along the Clinch River and the construction of the Joe Wheeler Dam are given as the cause of the prevention of such flood. It might as well be said there was no great flood along the Arkansas River; there are no reservoirs there. The two cases would be analagous. It is a question of rainfall.

"The rains in the upper Tennessee Valley were well distributed and, while unusual, the aggregate for the month of January in the headwaters of the Tennessee River was 13 inches, while in the lower stetches of the Tennessee River there were 23 inches of rain. Here again, the rains fell below the dams.

"There was no flood along the headwaters of the Tennessee River because the rains were well distributed and were not more that half the rains that obtained along the lower stretches of the river in the Ohio Valley. The floods at Cincinnati and Louisville were caused by continuous and excessive rains; instead of being distributed, it rained for days. There was a 15-inch rainfall at Louisville, 12 inches at Evansville and 12 inches at Cincinnati.

And Mr. Wittington, who is a supporter of the TVA program, went on to assert that "flood control is incidental" in that program. Here speaking is not a power lobbyist, nor a "defeatist-lawyer" nor a propagandist, but the chairman of the House Flood Control Committee, a man who earnestly is seeking a solution of the flood disaster problem.

Coal Operators Open Records For Senators

Harlan Field Labor Survey Includes Study of Sheriff's Office.

By the Associated Press.

Senate investigators combed a mass of documentary evidence yesterday for facts on which to base a study of labor relations in the Harlan, Ky., coal fields.

A score of witnesses, most of them coal mine operators, dumped books, records and statistics into the investigators' hopper in response to subpenas issued by the La Follette Civil Liberties Committee.

Although questioning of witnesses was confined mostly to identification of records, it was indicated later testimony will deal with purchase of arms by coal miners, their employment of special peace officers and the activities of the Harlan County Coal Operators Association.

Each operator was required to produce a list of firearms purchased, names of deputies, correspondence between the companies and the operators association and correspondence with the Harlan County sheriff concerning labor disputes and employment of National Guards.

From representatives of the Bank of Harlan and the Harlan National Bank the committee obtained records which officials said showed Sheriff Middleton's banking transactions. Mrs. Ella Tucker, assistant Harlan County treasurer, supplied data on fiscal affairs of the sheriff's office.

Most of the mine operators supplied records of arms purchases and employment of guards. One, Newell G. Alford, of the Clover Splint Co., of Pittsburgh, reported correspondence with the operators' association.

George Ward, secretary of the association, was unable to provide a record of its expenditures as requested in a subpena because, he said, the association did not keep such accounts.

In Congress

YESTERDAY.

Senate.

Met at noon and recessed at 3:40 p. m. until noon today.

Passed the Navy appropriation bill.

La Follette Committee continued civil liberties inquiry.

Judiciary Committee resumed court reorganization hearing.

House.

Met at noon and recessed at 5:25 p. m. until noon today.

Debated State, Justice, Commerce and Labor appropriation bills.

Agriculture Committee considered sugar quota bill.

TODAY.

Senate.

Meets at noon.

Considers joint resolution removing disqualifications of Joseph P. Kennedy to serve on the Maritime Commission.

Judiciary Committee continues court plan hearing.

Banking and Currency Committee considers bills on the calendar.

Commerce Committee considers Kenniedy maritime resolution.

Agriculture Committee resumes crop insurance study.

House.

Meets at noon.

Begins reading department supply bills under five-minute rule.

Appropriations sub-committee considers War, Agriculture and Deficiency bills.

Rules Committee studies Connery radio investigation resolution.

Labor Committee considers resolution to investigate Remington Rand Corporation, and a resolution to establish a Board of Labor Inquiries.

Judiciary Committee considers various court bills.

Eastbound Record Set by Normandie

Paris, March 22 (AP).—The French Line announced tonight the liner Normandie had set a new eastbound transatlantic speed mark with an average speed of 30.99 knots from Ambrose light to Bishop's Rock.

The Normandie's performance bettered the speed mark of 30.66 knots set by the British Queen Mary by almost .4 of a knot, the French Line said.

The Normandie, which left Ambrose Light at 11 a. m. Thursday, passed Bishop's Rock at 6:45 p. m. tonight (1:45 p. m. E. S. T.)

Line officials said the Normandie covered 2,976 miles in four days, six minutes and 23 seconds. The Queen Mary, they reported, crossed from Ambrose Light to Bishop's Rock in three days, 23 hours, 57 minutes on a 2,939-mile voyage.

The speed mark claimed by the line was computed on the average speed rather than the elapsed time of the voyage.

Director and Wife Deny Drunkenness

Glendale, Calif., March 22 (AP).—Emmett J. Flynn, eloping film director, pleaded innocent today to a drunk-in-auto charge resulting from his taxicab elopement to Yuma, Ariz., with Margaret Shelby Fillmore.

Mrs. Flynn, sister of Mary Miles Minter, former screen star, pleaded innocent to the same charge.

Flynn's attorney, John E. Glover, told Police Judge Frank H. Lowe he did not know where Flynn was and asked him to delay until tomorrow issuance of a bench warrant. The judge agreed.

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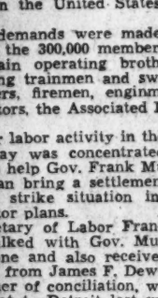

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Reich Prohibits Discussion of Pope's Rebuke

Editorial in Hitler Paper Withdrawn; Foreign Complications Feared.

By the Associated Press.

Berlin, March 22.—Startled German officialdom tonight forbade comment on Pope Pius' surprise encyclical accusing the Nazi regime of breaking pledges to the Catholic Church and fostering paganism, until the government has had full time to consider all consequences.

Editorial reaction appeared in only one newspaper, Chancellor Hitler's Voelkischer Beobachter, but officials described it as unauthorized and ordered it withdrawn from later editions.

The foreign office was represented as particularly irritated by implied suggestions in the editorial that treaties and agreements can be changed at will.

The newspaper avowed that at conclusion of the 1933 concordat with the Vatican, "the state could not know how the church would later interpret its provisions," and added that "even an agreement with the Holy See has not sacrosanct, untouchable and eternal value."

This was interpreted to imply the Vatican concordat which the Pope charged had been violated by hampering church control of religious education might be canceled by the Reich.

The interpretation aroused fears, one informant said, lest Germany's signature be discounted on other interstate documents. For this reason the editorial was withdrawn.

Surprise Move.

German authorities admitted they were taken by surprise, and that they learned the encyclical had been read only after newspapers asked for comment.

Like many priests, officials indicated, they first thought the encyclical referred to was the recent one on communism.

Meanwhile, Germany's secret police were reported watching persons they suspected of delivering excerpts of the papal letter to foreign correspondents.

So far as official opinion was apparent, there seemed an inclination tonight to seek by mutual agreement an amendment to the Vatican concordat—which pledged the right to instruct on religion to the church and delegated economic education to the state.

The Reich government, according to foreign office circles, does not want the odium of outright cancellation. Catholic circles point out that the Vatican was the first power to give the Nazi regime international standing by signing the concordat, after having previously told Roman Catholics that Naziism and Catholicism were incompatible.

Rome, according to the Catholic view expressed here, therefore had fully showed a readiness to come to peaceful arrangements with the new regime. If events took a different turn, they contend, it is not the Pope's fault.

Nazi spokesmen hold they never intended to yield to the church such matters as the upbringing of youth and the conducting of young men's and young women's associations.

In congregations where the Pope's message, requiring an hour and 15 minutes, was read yesterday, there was a deep stir. But tonight parish folk apparently were still too stunned to comment.

"Fighting" Head of Church.

Vatican City, March 22 (A).—Vatican officials today said when Pope Pius XI, in biting words, reproached Germany today for "a condition of spiritual oppression such as never before has been witnessed," and accused the third Reich of destroying its 1933 concordat with the Vatican, He disclosed himself as the "fighting" head of the Catholic Church.

"The point has now been reached," the Pope said, "where there is a question of the final and highest end, of salvation or perdition."

The Pontiff charged the 1933 concordat—which assured the church of authority over the religious education of its youth—was "rendered intrinsically valueless." He decried pressure and intimidation, "veiled and open," in Germany, advising the devout there that "the only way to salvation is that of generous heroism."

Prelate saw in the Pope's opening sentences, which expressed hope of "true peace" between Nazidom and the church, the possibility that even now there need not be an open breach between Germany and the Holy See.

Should relations be ruptured, however, they said Pius' words left no doubt that the Vatican was prepared to fight atheism with all the spiritual strength of the church.

Vatican historians explained the Pontiff always has been careful in his relations with Germany since the 1933 pact. He blamed Germany for its destruction, asserting, "We have done everything to defend the sanctity of the solemnly plighted word."

This was the first encyclical directed to Germany. The Pope's last general communication addressed to the Reich was a Papal bull proclaiming the concordat July 20, 1933.

He has confined himself, otherwise, to an occasional speech to German pilgrims lamenting the course of religious affairs in Germany since the concordat was ratified, and to private conversations with German bishops.

Church historians said they believed the Pope was not yet ready to nullify the concordat, first, because he appealed again for an understanding between church and state and, secondly, because no concordat has been nullified in the past century.

The church, they said, has avoided the practice. It had no concordats with Russia, Mexico or Spain, all of which governments have broken with the church in recent years. Negotiations to find amicable terms with Spain were begun after the establishment of the republic, but, so far, have not borne fruit.

Radio Star Among Best Dressed Women

JESSICA DRAGONETTE, who was included in list of best-dressed women awarded medals by the Fashion Academy at New York yesterday.

Style Leaders of 1937 Chosen From 8 Fields by Designers

By the Associated Press.

New York, March 22.—Hold your hats, here comes another list of "best-dressed women."

Emil A. Hartman, director of the Fashion Academy, announced today the 1937 winners of medals awarded by the academy each spring to feminine fashion laders.

Like the other "best-dressed" lists, it was "the result of a poll of America's leading designers."

The winners, chosen from eight fields:

Helen Gleason, stage; Carole Lombard, screen; Mrs. William Rhinelander Stewart, society; Dorothy Mae Kilgallen, adventure; Jessica Dragonette, radio; Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen Rohde, public life; Eve Symington, night clubs; Lily Pons, opera.

Among previous winners of the academy awards were Mrs. Franklyn D. Roosevelt, Mrs. James A. Farley, Mrs. Helen Wills Moody, Gladys Swarthout and Mrs. Harrison Williams—the perennial favorite of best-dressed lists.

Hartman said it is "unfair to hold ony one person in the style limelight too long," hence a new list now and then.

"We hope," he said, "through the medium of the selection of 'best-dressed women' to make American women more clothes conscious."

"Lily Pons won for her ability to 'edit' her wardrobe. Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen Rohde, former U. S. Minister to Denmark, dresses with smart simplicity.

"Dorothy Kilgallen, 'the flying girl reporter,' managed to race around the world with three dresses, and keep well dressed."

Stunt Jumper Injured In Dive From New Span

San Francisco, March 22 (U.P.).—The first attempt by a professional stunt man to leap from San Francisco-Oakland Bay bridge, new $75,000,000 span across San Francisco Bay, ended late today in the serious injury of Ray Woods who attempted the leap.

France Seizes Two of Largest Aviation Plants

Government Rushes Plan to Nationalize Nation's War Industries.

By the Associated Press.

Paris, March 22.—The French government, racing against time to nationalize the country's war industries, took over two of France's largest airplane factories today and ordered expropriation of a third.

In addition to the three plants brought under the air ministry, the government ordered nationalization of the "stamping and mechanical construction" company at Caudebec to complete the largest single group of private munitions works to be brought under government control at one time.

Today's sweeping decrees left the Renault munitions plant the only major war industry in private hands.

The airplane plant orders put into effect one of the final phases of Air Minister Pierre Cot's drive to take over all military airplane accessory factories by April 1.

Brought under actual control of his production schedule—guarded as a close military secret—was the Bleriot Airplane Plant at Suresnes and the Aeronautical Corporative Union Plant at Begles. The Louis Breguet Plane Factory at L'Havre already has been decreed for nationalization.

The growing list already includes the mammoth Schneider works, producers of the famous 75-millimeter guns, the Brandt arms plant, the Hotchkiss machine gun factory and the Lemans cartridge works.

Under the nationalization law to take the profits out of war, enacted August 11, 1936, Premier Leon Blum's government must complete its program by March 31.

As an indication of its scope, shortly before the Schneider works were expropriated they declared a dividend of 20,000,000 francs (approximately $1,000,000).

In such cases, only part of the factories devoted to munitions was taken over by the government with other phases of the works being left in private hands.

In each instance the government expropriated all lands, buildings, material stocks and equipment after an inventory to determine the valuation of the plants.

The state will permit the owners to retain one-third of the stock with the remaining two-thirds going over to the government for a cash expropriation price based on the inventory.

Belgian Monarch Takes Neutrality Program to Eden

London, March 22 (A).—King Leopold of the Belgians took his nation's neutrality demands direct to British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden tonight.

The visiting monarch lost no time getting down to business after a dinner in his honor at the Belgian embassy, which was attended by Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin.

Acting virtually as his own foreign minister, Leopold discussed with Eden vital problems pertaining to the projected new Western Europe security pact.

He explained Belgium's about-face policy, effected last fall, a demand for guarantee of neutrality by her big neighbors—France, Germany and Britain—but without a promise that Belgium would aid them if they are attacked.

Judge Denies Plea of Bilbo In Alimony Suit

Mrs. Linda R. Bilbo, wife of United States Senator Theodore Bilbo, won the first skirmish with her husband in District Court yesterday when Justice F. Dickinson Letts overruled the motion of the Senator to have the service of the suit on him declared in violation of his senatorial immunity.

He urged, through Attorney Thomas E. Rhodes that since the first step in the suit was to serve him with a subpena commanding his appearance in court, he was in effect being arrested. With that contention Justice Letts failed to agree, and he permitted a 20-day stay of proceedings while a special appeal from his ruling is made to the United States Court of Appeals.

Mrs. Bilbo, estranged for many years, is seeking to enforce the terms of an agreement by which she was to get $100 a month and by which the Senator was also to pay $25 a month on property in Jackson, Miss.

Counsel for Senator Bilbo asserted in court he recently had filed suit against his wife in Mississippi. It was stated the Senator expected to provide for his wife in that action. Attorneys Norman Fiscger and Julius I. Peyser appeared for Mrs. Bilbo, who followed the arguments closely. Her husband was not in court.

In asking that the papers served on him be declared to have been served unlawfully, Senator Bilbo used the same arguments advanced by the late Senator Long when he was being sued for alleged libel by Samuel T. Ansell. The battle went to the United States Supreme Court, where Long lost, and the suit was nearing trial on its merits when he was slain.

Baltic Entente Being Drafted To Escape War

Fear of Major Conflict Also Starts Move for Danubian Bloc.

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Paris (Tuesday), March 23.—Diplomats revealed today that the Danubian and Baltic nations are forming separate blocs for the maintenance of peace because of the increasing fear that another major war is in preparation.

High officials said Rumania, Austria, Czechoslovakia, Hungary and Yugoslavia are so convinced of the imminence of war that they are planning an alliance to free themselves of all entangling alliances which inevitably would draw them in.

Simultaneously, the sources revealed, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, Esthonia, Lithuania and Latvia are planning a Baltic entente for mutual protection to free themselves of all need for aid from the larger nations which conceivably might involve them in war.

Minor League Planned.

The move among central European powers is directed against "tutelage" of Italy, Germany or France, it was reported, and would constitute a powerful minor "League of Nations" for peace.

The action is timed with the arrival in London of King Leopold III of Belgium to demand assurance of complete Belgian neutrality from England, France and Germany and the arrival of Rumanian Premier George Tatarescu in Prague, Czechoslovakia.

The new visits follow those of Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg of Austria to Budapest, Hungary, and of Foreign Minister R. J. Sandler of Sweden to London and Paris. On Wednesday Foreign Minister Galeazzo Ciano of Italy reportedly will visit Belgrade, Yugoslavia, to sign a new friendship pact.

Premier Tatarescu's visit to Prague followed closely that of King Carol of Rumania to President Eduard Benes of Czechoslovakia. Tatarescu conferred with Czechoslovakian cabinet members over armaments from the Skoda manufacturing firm and other factories.

Rumania Buying Arms.

Rumania undoubtedly is placing a great munition order in Czechoslovakia, replacing previous orders in France where recent nationalization of Schneider-Creusot and other war industries by the popular front government has frightened foreign arms buyers.

Foreign Minister Sandler of Sweden will confer this week with other Baltic governments on an alliance among Scandinavian countries which he hopes will include the former Russian states of Esthonia, Lithuania and Latvia.

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Blast Thwarts Woman's Plan To End Her Life

Firemen Rescue Chevy Chase Matron When Pilot Light Ignites Gas Fumes.

Mrs. Courts D. Rea, 30, of 4513 Ridge street, Chevy Chase, Md., was recovering last night at her home from what police said was an attempted suicide yesterday morning.

Firemen summoned by neighbors found Mrs. Rea stretched out on three chairs set in front of the kitchen stove from which gas was pouring. An explosion, evidently caused by the stove pilot-light igniting the gas-filled room, had blasted out kitchen windows and set fire to curtains.

The Bethesda rescue squad revived the unconscious woman with an inhalator, after which Dr. Benjamin C. Perry gave her treatment. The explosion blew open the oven-door, which fell across her face, probably saving her from serious burns.

Police found a note which said she was "sorry" and "depressed." They refused to reveal any more of the contents of the note and would not explain what she was "depressed" about.

Mrs. Rea's husband is a former Resettlement Administration officer, now employed with the Social Security Board in the old age benefits bureau.

Mrs. Richard Cunningham, of 4512 Ridge street, first noticed the flames shooting from the rear windows of the Rea home. She called police, who summoned the fire department. Fireman Oldfield climbed in the window, found Mrs. Rea's hair in flames, put them out, and turned off the gas.

Hearing Set Today On Barber Control

A public hearing on a bill to regulate barbering in the District will be resumed at 10:30 o'clock this morning in the House District Committee room. Representative Jennings Randolph (Democrat), West Virginia, will preside.

A sharp division of opinion between District officials and representatives of the barbers' union was disclosed at the first hearing last week. The District officials are opposing the measure.

On Thursday, a special House sub-committee will hold a hearing on the District bill to create a real estate commission. The hearing will begin at 10:30 o'clock and will be held in the House District Committee room.

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Examining tile used in construction of Consolidated High School at New London, Tex. From left, Capt. C. P. Kerr, Dr. David J. Price, explosion specialist of Bureau of Chemistry and Soils; H. Smith, Texas Inspection Bureau, and Dr. E. P. Schoch, Texas explosions expert. (Below) Point at which oil company's residue gas line had been tapped to provide fuel for the school.

Hopper Wins $2,000 Medal For Landscape

New Yorker's Work Chosen First Among U. S. Oils at Corcoran.

(Pictures on Page 18.)

For his colorful landscape painting, "Cape Cod Afternoon," Edward Hopper, New York artist, won the $2,000 William A. Clark first prize and Corcoran gold medal awarded in connection with the fifteenth biennial exhibition of contemporary American oil paintings. The exhibit opens next Sunday in the Corcoran Gallery of Art.

Second prize of $1,500 and a silver medal were awarded Guy Pene du Bois, also of New York, for his "Meditation," a study of a seated semi-nude figure of a woman.

Third Clark prize of $1,000 and the Corcoran bronze medal went to Franics Speight, native of North Carolina and a former student at the Corcoran School of Art. One of the younger American painters, his prize winning work shows a woman getting mail from her rural box, and bears the title "Boxholder No. 27." A group of farm buildings acts as back drop for his landscape study.

A Bostonian, Bernard Keyes, got the fourth prize of $500 and the Corcoran certificate of honorable mention, for his portrait of a bartender, "Snakey," a remarkably fine characterization.

Sitting as selectors was a jury of artists, headed by William J. Glackens, of New York. They chose the prize-winning pictures from 461 paintings adjudged by them worthy of inclusion in the Corcoran Gallery's biennial show. Other members of the jury were John Steuart Curry, of Madison, Wis.; Daniel Garber, of Lumberville, Pa.; William M. Paxton, of Boston, Mass., and Richard Lahey, of this city.

The cash prizes are provided from income derived from a trust fund set up by the late Senator W. A. Clark, of Montana. Organization expense is met with income from a trust fund donated by Senator Clark's widow. Excess income from both funds is available for the purchase of works of art by native artists for the permanent collection of the gallery.

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Mrs. Simpson's First Divorce Is Called Invalid in England

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London, March 22.—British legal experts warned tonight that Mrs. Wallis Warfield Simpson's first divorce, obtained in the United States 10 years ago, may be invalid under British law.

The new complication, they said, may jeopardize the early marriage of the former Baltimore girl and former King Edward if the case is brought into British courts.

Arthur Berriedale Keith, outstanding authority on constitution law, was responsible for the latest surprise development in the "world's greatest romance." He wrote to the Edinburgh Scotsman saying that Parliament might be obliged to enact special legislation legalizing Mrs. Simpson's first divorce.

She divorced Earl Winfield Spencer, U. S. naval officer, at Warrenton, Va., in 1927.

A specialist in English "family law" told the United Press that Keith's disclosures were legally sound.

He predicted that British law would not accept Mrs. Simpson's first divorce as valid.

The warnings that the divorce obtained in the little Virginia town, not far from Washington, D. C., might not be valid were based on the fact that British courts recognize only divorces granted in courts of a State in which the husband lives at the time the suit is filed.

Spencer, they said, appeared not to have been a Virginia resident.

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Escaping Gas Is Found in 2d Texas School

State Safety Laws Urged; Schoch Confirms Leak as Cause of Blast.

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a few bodies which were sent to distant places for burial. Only seven funerals were held here, in contrast to the constant stream of processions Saturday and yesterday.

School Superintendent Shaw, a slight, gray-haired man in his middle sixties, appeared in court with a bandaged hand, injured by an explosion-thrown brick. His testimony followed that of D. L. Clark, field foreman for the Parade Gasoline Co., that the school had tapped a Parade company line without his (Clark's) knweldge or permission.

The schoolmaster said he had conferred with Earl Clover, Parade superintendent, and had concluded that Clover did not "particularly object" to the connection that fed the school with gas for heating purposes.

"Mr. Glover did not give us specific permission and warned that we were liable to be cut loose at any time, but I concluded that he did not particularly object."

Shaw told the court Clover "had always" refused specific permission for the pipe connection.

Gas Piping No Secret.

The Superintendent said he was "partly responsible" for the connection, and said he gave the order for the piping.

"The piping was not a secret at all," Shaw said. "We went down and made the connection. It was not buried deep or anything. The United Gas Co. (which previously supplied the school with gas at a charge) knew it positively. We told them.

"It was my understanding that after the connection was made they said there might be some danger. But we saw through that. We thought they just wanted the business. They offered to make a test for us one night, but didn't show up. I tell you, I really couldn't see everything that was going on."

Shaw said the school officials were later assured by the United Gas Co. that "they would leave their service and give us service in an hour or so and be glad to do so" if the school was ever asked to drop off the Parade line.

Shaw Tells of Blast.

Shaw told briefly of the explosion before he left the stand, supported by a friend.

"I was about 40 or 50 feet from the southwest corner of the building. I was not looking at it at the time. The first I noticed were flying missiles. As for the sound, it didn't seem so terrific. But, of course, I was dazed."

Football Coach R. L. Moore, who saw the blast, told the court earlier the first figure he saw after the blast was Shaw, staggering around the building, clutching his head and screaming:

"Oh, my God—those poor children."

Testifying of a change in heating plans, at the time the school was built, from a central boiler to individual gas steam radiators, School Board Member L. W. Regan told the court the board was "positive" the substitution was safe. The general contractor for the building had testified the change was made for reasons of economy.

School Comments.

"We certainly had no other notion but that they were safe," Regan said.

Dr. Schoch interrupted with:

"We never had any thought either but that you gentlemen acted in what you thought were the best interests of the children. I consider you a good example of an average man who is trying to get the best information available."

When asked if he knew much about gas in a technical sense, Reagan said "only that it's explosive—but everybody burns gas."

Said Dr. Schoch: "It is just like a gun. We get used to a gun, but be all know it is dangerous."

J. R. Kern, another board member, who also said the change to Parade Co. gas was made with Clover's knowledge, followed Reagan.

"We concluded there wouldn't be any hazard because the same gas was being used in homes throughout this whole East Texas oil field," Kern said.

Architect Testifies.

"You had no information that the residue gas possibly could have been dangerous?" asked Capt. Zachariah Coombes, judge advocate of the court.

"None whatsoever."

M. E. Defee, of Fort Worth, one of the architects of the school building, testified he advised the school board against the installation of gas steam radiators on the grounds such a system "would not come up to your expectations."

He said he informed the board that if it decided to use the radiators certain safety regulations promulgated by the State department of education should be followed.

One of those regulations is that proper flues should be installed. The question of whether the radiators were vented properly has figured prominently in the inquiry.

He said he discussed the regulations with Shaw and a member of the school board. The department of education has power to enforce its regulations against State aid schools but not against wealthy schools such as the one here.

Memorial Group Named.

Defee said he suggested laboratory tests of the concrete poured in the building here, but did not know whether the board followed his suggestion.

"Two members of the school board were employed on the construction job," he testified.

At Austin Gov. James V. Allred announced formation of the New London School memorial committee to handle funds for a monument commemorating the school children and teachers who died.

Accepting their offers, the governor assigned to the Parent-Teacher Association of Texas and the American Legion the responsibility of receiving and raising funds for the purpose.

Rail Official Dies.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 22 (AP).—George Henry Minor, 70, vice president and secretary of the Erie Railroad Co., died yesterday after an illness of several days. He had been connected with the Erie railroad since 1903.

Freighter Rushes To Disabled Ship

Halifax, Nova Scotia, March 22 (AP).—The British freighter City of Auckland tonight was speeding to aid an unidentified Norwegian vessel which had wirelessed "please help us," and given its position as southeast of Sable Island, 200 miles east of here.

The City of Auckland reported she was about 100 miles from the distressed ship, the position of which, 40.40 north and 59 west, placed her in the area known as the "graveyard of the Atlantic."

Officers of the British vessel believed the Norwegian ship carried no regular operator and that an unskilled person was sending the calls. Messages from the City of Auckland were not answered, the name of the ship not given and the regular S O S signal not used.

Hitch-Hiker Robs Novelist of Auto

Florence, Ariz., March 22 (AP).—Mrs. Ursula Parrott, Wilton (Conn.) novelist, reported to the sheriff's office she was robbed of her automobile and baggage today by a hitch-hiker she had given a ride.

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LaGuardia to Address Maryland House Today

New York, March 23 (AP).—Mayor Fiorello LaGuardia is scheduled to carry his campaign for ratification of the child labor amendment to Maryland tomorrow.

The mayor plans to address the Federal relations committee of the Maryland House of Representatives.

Bullington Is Renamed To Va. Liquor Board

Richmond, Va., March 22 (AP).—Gov. Peery today reappointed R. McC. Bullington to the State liquor board for a five-year term.

Bullington's appointment was made on the third anniversary of the monopoly board which became operative on March 22, 1935.

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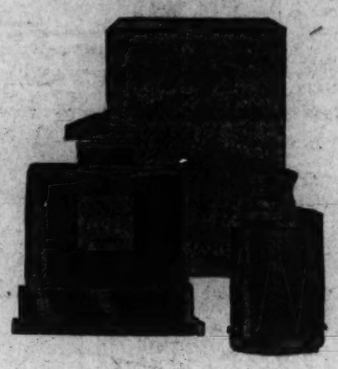

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Court Change Would Impair Efficiency, Hughes Says in Letter to Wheeler

Van Devanter, Brandeis Back Chief Justice

Senate Committee Gets First Formal Word From Tribunal.

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liberalism in Washington and denunciatory outbursts against Administration parading of "the needs of the times." Wheeler traced his own liberal history on labor and social problems back 20 years.

"People expect these things to be accomplished," he said, "but in a sane and sensible manner. I submit that the Democratic platform (proposing a constitutional amendment) provided that method."

Moley to Testify Today.

After reading of the letter from the Chief Justice, and supporting testimony by Wheeler, the committee recessed, only to return for an anticlimactic afternoon hearing.

E. H. Everson, president of the Farmers' Union, left wing farm organization, took the stand briefly to say his orfanization had "gone on record definitely and positively against anything that has a tendency toward distatorship."

Today, Raymond Moley, former adviser to President Roosevelt, but recently critical of Administration policies, will lead off the opposition case.

Wheeler, who started the liberal revolt from the President's court plan, said it was clear that Hughes could not discuss question of policy in his letter. Such questions, he said, were properly left for Congress and the President. Anyway, he added, there has not been a "new thought" on that subject in the present Administration.

Quotes Other Speeches.

Twice in his recital the Montanan quoted former utterances of President Roosevelt—"not written back in the 'horse and buggy days' either."

One was taken from Roosevelt's second innaugural speech as Governor of New York, in which Roosevelt said "Washington should not be encouraged to interfere" on agricultural, social welfare, public utility and other questions, which should be left to the States. The witness said that he, himself, did not subscribe to that view.

The other was quoted from Roosevelt's book, "Looking Forward," written in March, 1933, in which Roosevelt said additional courts and judges would "only aggravate the disease."

Then Wheeler said he wanted to call to the witness stand "a distinguished American." His witness, it appeared, was Woodrow Wilson, who had written in 1886 as a young man that although Congress had power to "overwhelm" the Supreme Court, public opinion would stand in the way of "such outrages on constitutional morality."

"I am not a college professor," Wheeler told the committee, "I haven't any charts. But I believe the Constitution provides the way to meet this situation. I am here now to say that I favor a constitutional amendment, but I am not in favor of packing the court. I do not believe the end justifies the means."

On such questions as child labor, Wheeler said, a constitutional amendment is unnecessary—that Congress has clear power to pass effective legislation. He said it had exercised its constitutional powers in holding-company legislation.

Dieterich Challenged.

Frequently interrupted by Senator Dieterich, Wheeler asked the Illinoisan if he had not opposed the Administration's holding company act on constitutional grounds. Dieterich denied this and a controversy ensued. Later Senator Edward R. Burke (Democrat), of Nebraska, brought a copy of the Congressional Record before the committee to show that Dieterich termed the act "obnoxious" to the Constitution in a June, 1935, Senate speech. Burke's reference was withheld from the committee record, in Dieterich's absence.

Wheeler, co-author of a constitutional amendment to give Congress the right to override Supreme Court invalidations after an intervening election, said he had "no pride of authorship." He said reports are being circulated that the opposition could not agree on an amendment.

"I have talked with all who are proposing constitutional amendments," he said, "and I agree with a majority of them when I say that if this Administration will abandon its court proposal, we will vote for any reasonable amendment the Administration may submit."

He said the "people can find a way to speedily approve a constitutional amendment if they want a thing badly enough."

"If the President would put his influence behind it, instead of being a matter of years, it would be only a matter of months."

The witness took especial exception to the President's argument that the court must be enlarged to "meet the needs of the times."

"Those needs haven't changed in 20 years," he said. "They haven't changed with reference to child labor. They haven't changed with reference to price fixing, or minimum wages or maximum hours."

Bemoans Liberalism.

He said his war experiences in his own State had taught him that a temporary "hysteria" might be confused with "needs of the times."

"I have suffered for my liberalism," he continued. "I haven't just become a liberal since taking office down here in Washington. I am not one of those official liberals who soon will be leaving the ship—as many now are doing—to take fat jobs with economic royalists or to enter the caves of Wall Street. I do not want to see the liberalism for which I have been fighting frittered away by any such stop-gap method as this."

Pointing a finger at committee members, he warned that an enlargement of the court "would do more to hurt and discredit labor, the Administration and the Democratic Party than anything else you could do."

"If I wanted to destroy the President of the United States, I know of no better way to destroy him than approving this plan."

Wheeler testified he had voted against confirmation of Chief Justice Hughes and Justice Stone because he thought them conservative, and had voted for the confirmation of Justice Roberts because he thought him a liberal.

"I was wrong in each of these cases," he said, "and I ask you, if you approve these additions to the bench, how can you be sure they will not turn out to be conservatives."

Here Senator Key Pittman (Democrat), Nevada, took over the cross-examination. Pittman said he thought Wheeler had proved by his statement "how impossible it is to pack the court."

"No President has ever been able to pack the court," said the Nevadan.

Foresees Disappointment.

"I think that some people are going to be disappointed in how the new justices vote," said Wheeler.

"So do I," said Pittman.

"I think the President has high motives," continued Wheeler. "I do not question his integrity. But this plan will not enable him to gain his objectives."

Pittman went into a lengthy discussion of the various constitutional amendments proposed. He said he thought Wheeler's own amendment might result in "political decisions" of the court. He said he thought there was more public interest in the amendment by Senator O'Mahoney to require a two-thirds majority of the court on constitutional questions. He discussed the proposal of Senator William E. Borah, (Progressive), Idaho, to rewrite the fourteenth amendment, to turn back to the States clear jurisdiction on social and economic questions. He said the Borah amendment was a wise one, and should be approved, regardless of action on the court plan.

Then the Nevadan suggested that Wheeler and O'Mahoney "get together" and one or the other agree to withdraw their propsals.

"Senator O'Mahoney and myself would have no trouble in agreeing," said Wheeler.

O'Mahoney jumped at the suggestion, and made another one.

"I should like to suggest," the Wyoming Senator said, "that after these hearings have proceeded one or two more days, the committee resolve itself into executive session for the purpose of considering a constitutional amendment. I fear it will be impossible if these hearings continue indefinitely."

Chairman Ashurst thought it "scarcely fair to the proponents of this bill," and the matter was passed over.

"It would tend to break the force of the other side," said Ashurst.

"Courting Delay."

The chairman reiterated there was no hurry, that he "courted delay."

Later O'Mahoney said he would renew the suggestion "in a day or two."

"Any amendment this committee reports out can be passed through Congress," Wheeler interpolated. "But let us be frank and honest about it. You can't get an amendment ratified without the approval of the President. And I know that everything that can be done is being done now to knock down these amendment proposals."

O'Mahoney asked if he meant "whispering campaigns."

"Not only whispering campaigns," Wheeler replied, "but statements made by friends and close advisers of the President."

At one point Wheeler said the Administration's laws would not have been invalidated, and the present controversy would not have arisen, "if these laws had been carefully drafted in the first place."

"I agree with what Senator Carter Glass recently said—that what we need more than a new Supreme Court is a new Attorney General."

He said he believed the Supreme Court performed a "great service" for the Administration when it invalidated NRA.

"If the court had not ruled NRA unconstitutional, the next Congress would have repealed it. It had become so unpopular you would not have been able to get a corporal's guard for it."

As Wheeler hammered away with his argument that "no one could be sure" how any of the new justices would decide cases, Pittman challenged him.

"Now I could pick you sir—" began the Nevadan.

"No you couldn't," said Wheeler.

"Oh yes I could," continued Pittman, "and I would vote for your confirmation."

"Don't tempt me," laughed Wheeler.

40 Claimed for Opposition.

It was Pittman's contention that if 29 Senators (the number he said are opposed to the court plan), made full use of their powers "the President could not put a rubber stamp on the Senate" and force confirmation of any justice.

Wheeler objected to Pittman's estimate of the opposition. He said there are "at least 40" in the Senate against the court plan, and a number of those who are for it would not approve justices named to support a specific program.

When Pittman protested that this was not the purpose, Wheeler snapped:

"If it isn't the purpose of the plan to put men on the court to uphold these laws, what is its purpose?"

Pittman said he wanted a reinterpretation of the Constitution in such cases as the New York minimum wage law.

Only one other Senator joined in the examination, Senator Tom Connally (Democrat), Texas, an opponent of the court program.

"Do the people have the power to destroy the court?" Connally asked.

Wheeler nodded assent.

"Has the President or Congress any such power?" asked Connally.

"Certainly not," Wheeler replied.

"Of course not," said Connally. "The Constitution belongs to the people. They are the only ones who should amend it. The Constitution was written in the blood of our forefathers. The trouble is, we have come to take it as a matter of course."

Wheeler concluded his testimony with a bitter condemnation of the entire plan.

"They call this an infusion of new blood into the court," he said. "What they actually are talking about is a transfusion of blood—a transfusion of blood to match theirs.

"This proposal does not promote democracy. There is nothing liberal about it. There is nothing progressive about it. It is going to turn the clocks of progressiveism back in this country."

Everson, who took the stand for the opposition in the afternoon, was the first of what promises to be a long list of farm witnesses who will testify before the committee against the plan. Representative William Lemke, of North Dakota, third-party Presidential candidate in the last campaign, was scheduled to follow him, but his appearance was indefinitely postponed.

Everson was rigorously questioned by Senators McGill, of Kansas, and Hughes, of Delaware (Democrats), on whether he spoke the views of the Farmers Union. While Everson admitted the organization has not acted specifically on the court plan, he said he was certain his testimony reflected the cumulative opinion of the group as reflected in the last convention.

"I do not mind telling your committee," Everson said, "that our principal opposition, in securing just and equitable farm legislation ever since the World War, has not come from the Supreme Court, but rather from Presidents and bureaus and departments here in Washington, together with the opposition of the financial and corporate interests of the country."

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lie as a matter of right the rules of the Supreme Court (rule 12) require the appellant to submit a jurisdictional statement showing that the case falls within that class of appeals and that a substantial question is involved. We examine that statement and the supporting and opposing briefs and decide whether the court has jurisdiction. As a result, many frivolous appeals are forthwith dismissed and the way is open for appeals which disclose substantial questions.

4. The act of 1925, limiting appeals as a matter of right and enlarging the provisions for review only through certiorari was most carefully considered by Congress. I call attention to the reports of the Judiciary Committees of the Senate and House of Representatives, Sixty-eighth Congress, first session. That legislation was deemed to be essential to enable the Supreme Court to perform its proper function. No single court of last resort, whatever the number of judges, could dispose of all the cases which arise in this vast country and which litigants would seek to bring up if the right of appeal were unrestricted. Hosts of litigants will take appeals so long as there is a tribunal accessible. In protracted litigation, the advantage is with those who command a long purse. Unmeritorious appeals cause intolerable delays. Such appeals clog the calendar and get in the way of those that have merit.

Procedure Outlined For Court Litigants.

Under our federal system, when litigants have had their cases heard in the court of first instance and the trier of the facts, jury or judge, as the case may require, has spoken and the case on the facts and law has been decided, and when the dissatisfied party has been accorded an appeal to the Circuit Court of Appeals, the litigants so far as mere private interests are concerned have had their day in court. If further review is to be had by the Supreme Court it must be because of the public interest in the questions involved. That review, for example, should be for the purpose of resolving conflicts in judicial decisions between different circuit courts of appeals or between circuit court of appeals and State courts where the question is one of State law; or for the purpose of determining constitutional questions or settling the interpretation of statutes; or because of the importance of the questions of law that are involved. Review by the Supreme Court is thus in the interest of the law, its appropriate exposition and enforcement, not in the mere interest of the litigants.

It is obvious that if appeal as a matter of right is restricted to certain described cases, the question whether review should be allowed in other cases must necessarily be confided to some tribunal for determination, and, of course, with respect to review by the Supreme Court, that court should decide.

5. Granting certiorari is not a matter of favor, but of sound judicial discretion. It is not the importance of the parties or the amount of money involved that is in any sense controlling. The action of the court is governed by its rules, from which I quote the following (Rule 38, par. 5):

Writ of Certiorari Action Is Explained.

"6. A review on writ of certiorari is not a matter of right, but of sound judicial discretion, and will be granted only where there are special and important reasons therefore. The following, while neither controlling nor fully measuring the court's discretion, indicate the character of reasons which will be considered:

(a) Where a State court has decided a Federal question of substance not theretofore determined by this court, or has decided it in a way probably not in accord with applicable decisions of this court.

(b) Where a Circuit Court of Appeals has rendered a decision in conflict with the decision of another Circuit Court of Appeals on the same matter, or has decided an important question of local law in a way probably in conflict with applicable local decisions, or has decided an important question of general law in a way probably untenable or in conflict with the weight of authority, or has decided an important question of Federal law which has not been, but should be, settled by this court, or has decided a Federal question in a way probably in conflict with applicable decisions of this court, or has so far departed from the accepted and usual course of judicial proceedings, or so far sanctioned such a departure by a lower court, as to call for an exercise of this court's power of supervision.

Work of Passing on Writ Is Called Laborious.

(c) Where the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia has decided a question of general importance, or a question of substance relating to the construction or application of the Constitution, or a treaty or statute of the United States, which has not been, but should be, settled by this court, or where that court has not given proper effect to an applicable decision of this court.

These rules are impartially applied, as it is most important that they should be.

I should add that petitions for certiorari are not apportioned among the justices. In all matters before the court, except in the mere routine of administration, all the justices—unless for some reason a justice is disqualified or unable to act in a particular case—participate in the decision. This applies to the grant or refusal of petitions for certiorari are granted if four justices think they should be. A vote by a majority is not required in such cases. Even if two or three of the justices are strongly of the opinion that certiorari should be allowed, frequently the other justices will acquiesce in their view, but the petition is always granted if four so vote.

The work of passing upon these applications for certiorari is laborious, but the court is able to perform it adequately. Observations have been made as to the vast number of pages of records and briefs that are submitted in the course of a term. The total is imposing, but the suggested conclusion is hasty and rests on an illusory basis. Records are replete with testimony and evidence of facts. But the questions on certiorari are questions of law. So many cases turn on the facts, principles of law not being in controversy. It is only when the facts are so interwoven with the questions of law which we should review that the evidence must be examined and then only to the extent that it is necessary to decide the questions of law.

Many of Applications Held Without Merit.

This at once disposes of a vast number of factual controversies where the parties have been fully heard in the courts below and have no right to burden the Supreme Court with the dispute which interests no one but themselves. This is also true of controversies over contracts and documents of all sorts which involve only questions of concern to the immediate parties. The applicant for certiorari is required to state in his petition the grounds for his applicatoin and in a host of cases that disclosure itself disposes of his request. So that the number of pages of records and briefs afford no satisfactory criterion of the actual work involved. It must also be remembered that justices who have been dealing with such matters for years have the aid of a long and varied experience in separating the chaff from the wheat.

I think that it is safe to say that about 60 per cent of the applications for certiorari are wholly without merit and ought never to have been made. There are probably about 20 per cent or so in addition which have a fair degree of plausibility, but which fail to survive a critical examination. The remainder, falling short, I believe, of 20 per cent, show substantial grounds and are granted. I think that is the view of the members of the court that if any error is made in dealing with these applidatoins it is on the side of liberality.

8. An increase in the number of justices of the Supreme Court, apart from any question of policy, which I do not discuss, would not promote the efficiency of the court. It is believed that it would impair that efficiency so long as the court acts as a unit. There would be more judges to hear, more judges to confer, more judges to discuss, more judges to be convinced and to decide. The present number of judges is thought to be large enough so far as the present adequate and efficient conduct of the work of the court is concerned. As I have said, I do not speak of any other consideration in view of the appropriate attitude of the court in relation to question of policy.

Larger Court Plan Called Impracticable.

I understand that it has been suggested that with more justices the court could hear cases in divisions. It is believed that such a plan would be impracticable. A large proportion of the cases we hear are important and a decision by a part of the court would be unsatisfactory.

I may also call attention to the provision of Article III, section 1, of the Constitution that the judicial power of the United States shall be vested "in the Supreme Court" and in such inferior courts as the Congress may from time to time ordain and establish. The Constitution does not appear to authorize two or more Supreme Courts or two or more parts of a Supreme Court functioning in effect as separate courts.

On account of the shortness of time I have not been able to consult with the members of the court generally with respect to the foregoing statement, but I am confident that it is in accord with the views of the justices. I should say, however, that I have been able to consult with Mr. Justice Van Devanter and Mr. Justice Brandeis, and I am at liberty to say that the statement is approved by them.

I have the honor to remain respectfully yours,

(Signed.) CHARLES E. HUGHES.

Chief Justice of the United States.

Honorable Burton K. Wheeler, United States Senate, Washington, D. C.

Former Justice Calls Court Plan Constitutional

'Plainly' Within Powers of Congress, Clarke Tells Nation.

By the Associated Press.

San Diego, Calif., March 22.—John Hessin Clarke, only living retired Supreme Court justice, told the Nation tonight President Roosevelt's judiciary reform proposal is "plainly within the powers granted to the Congress and therefore clearly constitutional."

Clarke, who became associate justice in 1916, resigned from the Supreme Court in 1922 to devote his time to cultivating public opinion favorable to world peace.

Addressing a Nation-wide radio audience, he said he yielded to no one in his "confidence in and estimate of the great value of the Supreme Court as a department of our government, and I shall not criticize in any manner either any of its recent decisions, or the proposals of the President."

Partial text of Clarke's speech follows:

Would a conditional increase of the number of judges of the Supreme Court by act of Congress, as recommended by the President, be constitutional or not? I shall confine myself to that naked legal question.

No rule of law is better established than that great weight must always be given by the courts to early—contemporaneous—construction of the Constitution by the legislative or executive departments of the Government, especially when such construction has been repeated, acted upon and long accepted by the country.

Let us apply this rule to the history of the action of Congress and of many residents with respect to our subject.

The Government under the Constitution was organized in April, 1789, and five months later, in September, by act of Congress, approved by President Washington, provision was made for the organization of the Supreme Court, and the number of judges was fixed at six.

Constant for 11 Years.

This action of Congress in determining the number of judges of the Supreme Court was accepted by the country as obviously constitutional, the judges were appointed by President Washington and proceeded to act, under it.

The number of judges remained at six for 11 years, until in 1801, when Congress reduced the number to five by an act approved by John Adams, our second President. The number of five judges continued for only one year when, by act of Congress, approved by President Jefferson, our third President, the number of judges was restored to the original six.

With this number of six judges the court continued for five years, when again by act of Congress, also approved by Jefferson, the number was increased to seven.

With this number of seven judges the court continued in the discharge of its high duties for 30 years, when the growth of the country and of the business of the court led Congress to add two more associate justices, in an act approved by President Andrew Jackson, thus, with the chief justice, making the number nine. With this number the court continued for 26 years, until 1863, when the number was increased from nine to ten by act of Congress approved by President Lincoln.

Changed in Three Years.

This fifth change to ten continued for only three years, when in 1866, shortly after the death of President Lincoln, again by act of Congress it was provided: "That no vacancy in the office of associate justice of the Supreme Court shall be filled by appointment until the number of associate justices shall be reduced to six," making seven with the chief justice.

This potential reduction of the total number of judges from ten to seven also lasted only three years, when, Gen. Grant being elected President, by act of Congress approved by him in 1869, the number of justices was restored to nine, at which number it has continued to our day.

Consider now for a moment the specific provisions of the Constitution on which this long line of congressional and executive action, which we have recalled, has been based. They are only two, and they are very short.

First—the Constitution declares "the judicial power of the United States shall be vested in one Supreme Court, and in such inferior courts as the Congress may from time to time ordain and establish," and

Provision Cited.

Second—After providing a very limited original jurisdiction for the Supreme Court, the Constitution declares, "in all other cases before mentioned the Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction . . . with such exceptions, and under such regulations, as the Congress shall make" . . . and that is all.

While the Constitution thus declared we shall have a Supreme Court, no provision whatever was made for its organization, and it was at once apparent that the only department of government which could provide for such organization was the Congress and accordingly the long course of Congressional action with regard to the membership of the court which we have just recalled was promptly entered upon, was accepted, and by acting under it, approved by the court and the country.

But in addition to this, in the provisions of the Constitution quoted, the Congress also found obvious warrant for regulating in all respects the appellate jurisdiction of the court, and this power of Congress over the Supreme Court has also been frequently exercised—always with the approval of all three branches of the Government.

No amount of argument could make this grant of power we are considering clearer than these plain provisions of the Constitution make it—to argue this question further would obscure it.

The wise men who framed our Constitution may have had more confidence in the wisdom and patriotism of the Congresses and the Presidents which were to come after them, and less confidence in courts than some seem to have today. Whether or no they were wise in entrusting to the Congress and to the President such extensive powers over the courts as we have found they possess and have long exercised,—are not the questions which are now before us. The single question as I am considering it is: Would a conditional increase in the number of judges of the Supreme Court as proposed by the President be constitutional or not?

For the reasons thus briefly stated, I think that the answer to that question should be—must be—that such an act would plainly be within the powers granted to the Congress and therefore clearly constitutional.

Supreme Court Rulings Block Recovery Plan, Wallace Says

Secretary of Agriculture Tells Virginia Farm Bureau Decisions Prevent Necessary Safeguards for Farmers, Labor, Industry.

By the Associated Press.

Richmond, March 22.—Secretary Wallace told a farm audience tonight recent decisions of the Supreme Court blocked attempts of the Roosevelt Administration to erect "necessary safeguards for agriculture, labor and industry."

The cabinet member addressed the annual meeting of the Virginia farm bureau. His remarks were broadcast.

Wallace said changes in the Supreme Court and Federal Judiciary proposed by President Roosevelt provided a "very simple and very practical" method of assuring progress for national welfare.

"Nobody claims it is unconstitutional," he said. "It simply proposed to add new blood to the Supreme Court; enough younger men who have been out in the hurly-burly of a changing world to bring the majority opinions of the court into line with the thinking people so that the attitute of the people as expressed in the election may be converted into action. That is all."

Wallace said the court proposals were "in accordance with the pledge given in the Democratic platform on which the President and most of the members of Congress were elected.

"That platform," Wallace declared, "promised to seek amendment only if those problems cannot be effectively saved by legislation within the Constitution. That legislation is now before the Congress, simple, feasible, direct and capable of passage immediately."

Wallace said the court proposals had stirred a "commotion" because "the interests which opposed the President in the last election do not want a workable solution" to problems now facing the Nation.

"The present unconstitutional attitude of the Supreme Court is the last barrier between them and the people," Wallace said. "These interests feel they must keep the barrier at all costs."

Queen Marie Improves; Temperature Is Normal

Bucharest, March 22 (AP).—Dowager Queen Marie of Rumania is improving steadily from her attack of grippe, a physician's communique revealed tonight. It said: "The grippe which Queen Marie suffered has abated. Her temperature is normal and her general condition improved. Abdominal bleeding has stopped as a result of treatment, rest and diet."

Cherry Blossoms Are Due April 4, Finnan Believes

Parks Superintendent C. Marshall Finnan, who previously had resisted successfully all efforts to make him predict when the Japanese cherry blossoms will appear, broke down yesterday and vouchsafed the opinion they will make their debut about April 4.

The weather man's co-operation is necessary, he made clear, if his prognostication is to be fulfilled. Given favorable weather, fair and warm, there should be a showing of the blooms April 4 and the display should be at its best during the ensuing week, Finnan asserted.

This applies to the single-blossom variety fringing the Tidal Basin. The double-blossom trees in East Potomac Park usually bloom two weeks later.

Hagerstown Elects W. L. Elgin Mayor

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Hagerstown, Md., March 22.—W. Lee Elgin, Democrat, was elected Mayor of Hagerstown today with a majority of 1,030.

Three of the five Democratic councilmanic candidates appeared certain of election, with two yet in doubt.

Bruce Martin, Democrat, was elected in Ward 1 over Councilman J Cleg Lushbaugh by a majority of 89, with returns complete.

Harry T. Fridinger, Democrat, held a 683 vote lead in Ward 2 over his Republican opponent, Daniel E. Kemp.

Vernon Miller, Democrat, won by 213 over Clarence Eldridge, Republican, in Ward 3.

Councilman W. Keller High in Ward 4 won by 63.

Councilman J. David Bowman, Republican, held a 70-vote margin in Ward 5 over William L. Golden, Democrat.

The vote was one of the heaviest ever polled, some precincts having 85 per cent of the registered vote cast.

College Rebuffs Colored Student

Memphis, Tenn., March 22 (U.P.).—Chancellor L. D. Bejach tonight took under advisement the mandamus petition of William B. Redmond, colored, of Nashville, seeking to gain entrance into the Univerrsityo of Tennessee School of Pharmacy.

Bejach said he would not rule on the petition until April 5.

Redmond charged the university was violating Federal and State constitutions in not permitting him to enroll.

Tennessee laws provide that there shall be no educational discriminations because of race, but prohibit teaching of colored and white students in the same class.

Edsel Ford Pays Visit To Ormond Beach, Fla.

Ormond Beach, Fla., March 22 (AP). Edsel Ford is visiting Ormond Beach for about two weeks. He motored her to board his yacht, now anchored in the Halifax River nearby.

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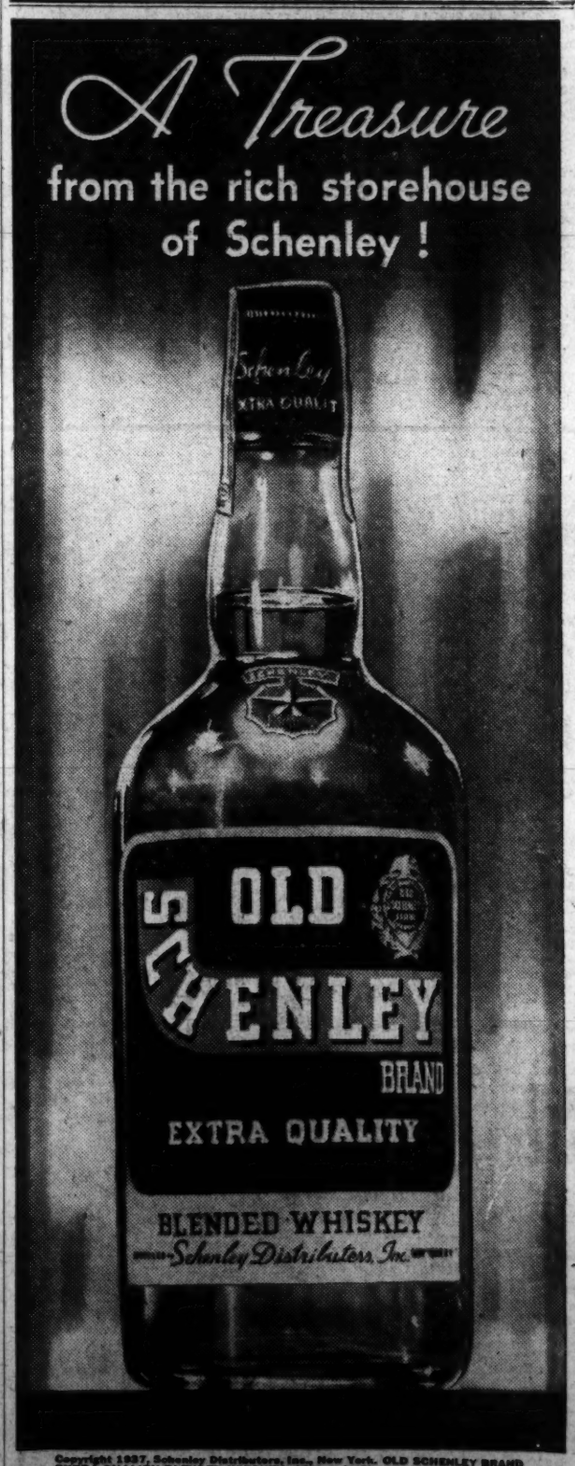

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Wheeler Makes Matrons Drop Jaws, Stitches

Knits Become Purls When Montanan Testifies at Court Hearing.

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(newspapers that have called him "radical" for years now dub him "progressive") was the messiest witness yet to appear. When he left the witness chair, the plum-red carpet beneath him was littered with torn notes, scratchpaper wadded into balls, cellophane cigar-wrappers and cigar ashes.

The pencils of the Senators who favor the President's plan, still in the minute of surprise at the letter from the Chief Justice, soon recovered to jot hasty rebuttals and note down points for attack. The opposition Senators smiled beautiful smiles, radiating happiness. They relaxed and began nodding to acquaintances in the room.

Somehow the attack never formed. Wheeler went on to recite his long record as a liberal and to affirm his contempt for "the liberals who are leaving the New Deal ship for fat jobs with the economic royalists in the caves of Wall Street."

"It's sickening to me," he snarled.

Arguments Develop.

There were minor wrangles over points in his testimony; Senator Pittman argued with him for 30 minutes over whether the Senate could agree on a constitutional amendment of any sort; Senator Dieterich disputed Wheeler's memory at one point; but the solar-plexus blow of the letter remained unattacked and unanswered.

While the morning session was tense, with the full committee present and every eye glued to the gesturing Senator, the afternoon session lapsed again into the former doldrums, and even Senatorial eyes occasionally followed newsmen's glances at a blonde secretary in the front row.

The Judiciary Committee itself, studied at close range, presents rich contrasts in manner and mood. The elegant Senator Henry F. Ashurst (Democrat), of Arizona, chairman, impeccably attired in a coal-scuttle coat and striped trousers, drapes black-ribboned pince-nez over his aquiline nose and stares wearily at the witness, wincing occasionally when stray cigaret smoke, which he loathes, drifts over him.

King a Gum-Chewer.

On his left Senator King (Democrat), Utah, chews gum steadily except when he adopts what Supreme Court watchers call "the McReynolds pose," named after the apparent sleeping attitude in which Justice McReynolds, forefinger at temple, eyes closed, listens to arguments. On his right Senator William E. Borah (Republican), Idaho, leans forward, eyes sharp, hour after hour, listening intently.

Senator Matthew M. Neely (Democrat), West Virginia, smart in a new gray spring suit (he has a Hialeah green suit which is the loudest single piece of clothes in the Senate), takes copious notes, never asks questions. Senator George McGill (Democrat), Kansas, puts on silver-rimmed spectacles, writes steadily. Senator M. M. Logan (Democrat), Kentucky, chain-smokes cigarettes, shoves back his shaggy iron-gray locks, mumbles jests to his colleagues. Senator William H. Dietrich (Democrat), Illinois, settling his huge black-suited frame into the small chair, stares intently from his large eyes which Senator O'Mahoney has called "those great, big beautiful eyes."

Burke Fidgets.

Senator Key Pittman (Democrat), Nevada, is a finger-tapper when things are dull. Senator Carl Hatch (Democrat), New Mexico, blows through cupped hands. Senator Edward R. Burke (Democrat), Nebraska, merely fidgets.

Senator Tom Connally (Democrat), Texas, strokes the lustrous gray curls at the back of his neck that fit a Texas statesman, and Senator Frederick Sterwer (Republican), Oregon, flips his lower lip.

Mink coats and those peaked Persian lamb hats have now definitely given way to lynx-collared beige coats and little sailor straws. The aged, bearded spectator who has been unhooking his collar and slipping out of his shoes in order to listen comfortably, has been frowned out of his practice, but several of the feminine spectators are still sliding unobtrusively out of their gabardine pumps.

The one newsworthy incident of the afternoon session came at 3:15 o'clock, when Senator Warren Austin (Republican), Vermont, strode formidably into the session, his arms loaded with books and papers, and evidently keen to take part.

At that very moment Acting Chairman King intoned the words "* * * will stand in recess until 10:30 tomorrow."

Everybody left, including Senator Austin.

Md. River Dragged For Missing Man

A Havre de Grace, Md., March 22 (AP).—Watermen grappled tonight for the body of William Morrison, missing since shortly after he went fishing about 2 miles above here in the Susquehanna River early today.

About two hours after Morrison started out, his brother-in-law, William Caponic, saw his boat drifting down the river. Caponic started a search and found all of Morrison's clothing folded on the bank.

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Senator's Wife Enjoys Her Knitting

Harris & Ewing.

MRS. BURTON K. WHEELER, wife of Senator Wheeler, of Montana, calmly knits while her husband was cross-examined by his colleagues when he took the stand yesterday before the Senate Judiciary Committee.

Judge's Authority To Change Court Error Questioned

The right of a trial judge to correct an alleged erroneously written prison sentence on the court's records was questioned by the United States Court of Appeals yesterday because the judge was held to have acted both as witness and judge in attempting to correct the clerical mistake.

The case involved the sentencing of Bernard L. Downey, who pleaded guilty to three robbery charges and was sentenced to four years' imprisonment on each. After he served four years he sought his release on the theory the sentences were to have run concurrently.

He was brought here from Federal prison and was resentenced after Justice James M. Proctor corrected the court records to conform to what he recalled when he sentenced Downey. Under the ruling of the Appellate Court yesterday, Downey will be given a second hearing before another judge, with Justice Proctor appearing as a witness, according to Assistant United States Attorney Alvin Krouse.

Worst Famine in Decade Ravages China Province

Shanghai, March 23 (Tuesday) (U.P.). — Chinese dispatches from Chengtu, Szechuan Province, said today famine conditions are the worst in ten years and that "several thousand persons already are dead."

"Hundreds of thousands of people face death unless immediate relief is provided," provincial authorities said.

More than 1,000,000 Chinese perished in the famine in 1927.

Colored Youth Wounds 9 at Carolina Church

Reidsville, N. C., March 22 (AP).—John D. Totten, 19-year-old colored youth, was held in jail here today after, officers said, he ran amuck last night and shot nine colored men and women at a church near here. None was seriously wounded.

Colored Porter Sought In N. Y. Attack Case

New York, March 22 (AP).—Police from six precincts tonight were making a systematic search of Harlem for a 19-year-old colored porter, accused by Mrs. Elizabeth Maranz, a pianist, of striking her 12 times with a claw hammer and attempting to attack her in her apartment.

102 Held in Gaming Raid.

White Plains, N. Y., March 22 (AP). One hundred and two men were arrested on charges of gambling today when Police Chief William Miller led a raid on an alleged bookmaking establishment. About 80 escaped by way of the windows.

Postlude

By Ray C. B. Brown.

District of Columbia Chapter American Guild of Organists presents Arthur Howes in recital Monday night in St. John's Church. Program: Prelude and Fugue in E minor, "Little" Fugue in G minor, Adagio in C (Bach), 13 chorale-preludes by Bach, Brahms, Parry and Reger.

An audience of moderate size, befitting limited accommodations of St. John's Church, enjoyed in that silence which is the best tribute to music a meditative program played by Arthur Howes last evening under the auspices of the American Guild of Organists. Howes, who came to Washington recently from Philadelphia, had chosen for his recital compositions of devotional character appropriate to the week preceding Easter.

All but three of his numbers were chorale-preludes, and those exceptions were the "Cathedral" prelude and fugue, the "Little" G minor fugue, and the slow movement from the Toccata, Adagio and Fugue in C by Johann Sebastian Bach—all reflective and religious in mood. Of virtuosity there was no display, and the effect of the recital was that of a song service heard through the instrumental voices of a mellow organ.

Of the Bach chorale-preludes, "When Jesus Hung on the Cross" and "Christ Lay in the Bonds of Death" came in the first group, and the strongly affirmative, "We All Believe in One God Most Holy" was reserved for the final number of the program. The Brahms preludes were "My Heart is Filled With Longing" and "O World, I Now Must Leave Thee."

Sir Hubert Parry, whose music is coming more and more into deserved recognition since his death in 1918, was represented by preludes on three hymn tunes: "Dundee," "Rockingham" and "Martyrdom." Max Reger, whose extraordinary musical fertility was marked by a mastery of form, had five preludes on the program: "How Bright Appears the Morning Star," "Our Father in Heaven," "Jesus is Here," "Smite Me Not in Thine Anger" and "Wake, for Night in Flying."

Camp Lee Trials Open.

Petersburg, Va., March 22 (AP).—With 48 entries listed in two stakes, one for winners and one for puppies, the annual spring trials of the Virginia Amateur Field Trial Association began today at Camp Lee.

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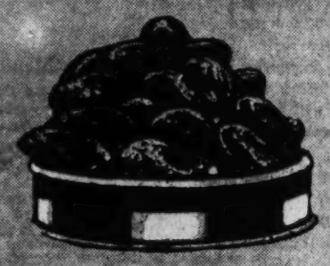

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Offsetting Labor Gains.

It is a welcome relief from news emanating from the strike centers to note that the United States Employment Service placed 158,013 men and women in private industry during February. Surveys indicate that that number is roughly comparable to the total of all groups deprived of their jobs by sit-down strikes.

Because of the dramatic conflicts resulting from the seizure of factories by workers there is a widespread tendency to overemphasize the extent of the current tie-ups in industry. For the most part industrial disputes are localized. The great majority of employes are carrying on their work as usual, and an increasing number that have been idle for months or years are being again drawn into the current of industrial activity.

Employment in December reached very near to the average for 1923-25. In January there was a slump due to seasonal variations and labor disputes, but the report of the Employment Service, showing a gain of 138 per cent in placements over February, 1936, suggests that the upward trend was again in evidence last month. A net gain of 1,300,000 jobs and $51,500,000 in weekly pay rolls is estimated for the last year.

The distressing fact is that these hopeful gains should be offset by violent disputes that might have been avoided by reasonable recourse to collective bargaining.

The Missing Link?

There was much ado in the anthropological world last week; a new specimen has been brought forth to claim the doubtful title of the "missing link." Beside the Piltdown man, the Java man, the Peking man and the Taungs boy has been placed the Sterkfontein girl. This new fossilized skull, with both ape-like and human characteristics, has been contributed by a Scottish physician, Dr. Robert Broom, from the Middle Pleistocene strata of Transvaal, South Africa.

Some of the scientists gathered at the International Symposium on Ancient Man in Philadelphia were skeptical of Dr. Broom's claim that the Sterkfontein girl is "closely related to the ancestor of man." In the opinion of several, this 18-year-old female, supposed to have been killed by a sabertooth tiger, is nothing more than a chimpanzee. Yet the teeth are so much like those of a modern human being to encourage speculation.

This latest find has aroused renewed interest in the quest for evidence of man's early progenitors. Dr. G. H. R. von Koenigswald has been commissioned by the Carnegie Institution of Washington to take up the hunt in Java. Dr. Broom will return for further search in the caves of South Africa, and still another group will extend its probe into the Pliocene strata near Peiping, with the hope of finding the ancestor of the Peking man.

No doubt this persistent research will add substantially to our knowledge of man's origin. But it is not likely that "the missing link," as that term is popularly understood, will ever be found. Between modern man and the modern anthropoids there is no direct "link." The meager evidence available suggests that their ancestral lines branch from a common stem in the distant past. But those primitive ancestors are as far removed in the line of descent from the ape of today as from last season's debutantes.

Bronx Cheer In Vienna.

The Viennese have the reputation of being the politest of all Europeans. Their gallantry and *gemuetlichkeit* have survived despite war, civil strife, poverty, dictatorship and confusion. But not even the denizens of the city where the situation, according to the old saying, is "always critical, but never serious," find it possible to inhibit the passions aroused by international sports.

To cement Austro-Italian friendship, an Italian soccer team arrived in Vienna the other day for a match with an Austrian team. It was raining before the game but no fewer than 40,000 Viennese abandoned their cafes to witness the contest. All went well until the spectators became convinced the Italian visitors were being too rough. Then the Viennese, enraged, gave vent to feelings that neither Dr. Schuschnigg nor Premier Mussolini approve. Thousands of them began to shout "Down with Italy" and "Pfui Mussolini"—that Danubian equivalent of the Bronx cheer. The referee, a Swede, decided it was high time to call off the game. Members of the visiting team barely got out of the stadium with their skins.

Sport is a wonderful thing and we've often been told there is nothing like it to produce good feeling and brotherliness between nations. Much of the evidence, however, points the other way. And when sport and politics are combined, as they so often are in embattled Europe, the mixture is highly combustible. The mild and gentle Viennese who went to the Vienna stadium to scoff and remained to bray bear witness.

Impairing Judicial Efficiency.

Without expressing any opinion as to the wisdom of the policy behind President Roosevelt's judiciary reorganization bill, Chief Justice Hughes has struck a powerful blow against that proposal. Until now the opposition has based its case almost entirely upon preservation of the independence of the Supreme Court. To this the Chief Justice has added, in his letter to Senator Wheeler: a timely warning that an increase in the membership of the court would impair its efficiency.

It is significant that Mr. Hughes declined to comment on "any question of policy" involved in the measure to reorganize the court over which he presides. To avoid questions as to the desirability of packing the court all the justices are said to have declined invitations to testify before the Senate Judiciary Committee. Chief Justice Hughes made it plain that he and his associates will not be drawn into the major controversy. But they are quite properly eager to have the public know the record of the court and the probable effect of the proposed remodeling upon its efficiency.

Very little of the Chief Justice's explanation is new. Virtually all the essential facts he submitted to Senator Wheeler had been previously published in the columns of The Post. Indeed, the pretense that reorganization of the Supreme Court was necessary in the interest of speedy justice was thoroughly shattered before the Senate hearings began. In his fireside chat the President himself dropped that argument and swung around to a frank admission that his primary objective is to alter the complexion of the court so that his legislative program may be upheld.

Nevertheless, Mr. Hughes' clear-cut statement, representing the views of both the liberal and conservative justices, has the effect of substantially narrowing the ground on which the judiciary bill rests. The court is not congested. It hears all cases involving constitutionality of statutes, uncertain issues of law or any other public interest. Contrary to the impression given by the President, the review of cases in this tribunal is "in the interest of the law, its appropriate exposition and enforcement, not in the mere interest of the litigants." And if there is any error in dealing with applications for certiorari "it is on the side of liberality."

Since the court acts as a unit, with all judges considering every case, Mr. Hughes' contention that enlargement of its membership to 15 would impair its efficiency must be regarded as a simple statement of fact. Not even the President can challenge that authoritative conclusion.

Still another comment has a significant bearing upon the court's efficiency. Proponents of the reorganization plan have contended that some of the justices are too old to meet the exactions of high judicial office. Without directly refuting that argument, Chief Justice Hughes wrote: "It must also be remembered that justices who have been dealing with such matters for years have the aid of a long and varied experience in separating the chaff from the wheat."

Nowhere in the letter is there one word suggesting that any member of the court looks with favor upon any aspect of the President's proposal. On the other hand, there is a strong implication of disfavor behind the expression of belief that the court's efficiency would be impaired. Since both the liberal and conservative justices share that opinion, and propriety forbids them to say more, it becomes one of the strongest arguments yet advanced for abandonment of the entire scheme.

The Juvenile Court Bill.

Disagreement over the terms of the Juvenile Court bill will result in new hearings before the Senate District Committee. After its passage by the House there was hope that the bill would meet with no resistance in the Senate. In view of the fact that some of its provisions have been questioned in official circles, however, it is well to clear away all reasonable doubt as to its wisdom before the final enactment.

The chief question at issue is whether proceedings against minors should be initiated by the corporation counsel's office or by the court itself. At present the city prosecutor decides whether or not an information against a child accused of delinquency shall be issued. Under the new bill officers of the court would investigate delinquency cases and formal charges would be filed only upon request of the juvenile judge.

Corporation Counsel Seal has expressed some fear that the best interest of child offenders might not always be served if the court should function as both prosecutor and judge. Certainly that arrangement does place a tremendous responsibility upon the Juvenile Court. But the modern trend is to depart entirely from the idea of prosecuting children. Most of the States have reorganized their juvenile courts with the objective of correcting the environment of delinquent children instead of punishing them.

In some cases, of course, discipline must be ordered for incorrigibles. But the objective of the new bill is to give the delinquent child every reasonable chance to develop normally without a stigma resulting from formal, public prosecution. That purpose raises a strong presumption in favor of the bill. Unless some weakness not yet apparent in the plan can be found, its general outline ought not to be disturbed.

Fortunately, proponents of the bill and Mr. Seal have already reached a partial agreement. He is not disposed to press objections to this phase of the measure, since similar arrangements have already proved successful in various States. In view of this fact it should not be difficult to iron out any differences that may remain over minor provisions. If Senator King will call the proposed hearings in the near future, there will still be plenty of time to pass the bill at this session.

King Leopold In London.

The presence in London this week of King Leopold of the Belgians stems directly from the failure of persistent efforts during recent months to find a satisfactory substitute for the defunct Locarno pact.

Some months ago Belgium proclaimed its intention to free itself of all entangling alliances and revert, so far as possible, to its prewar status of permanent neutrality. This decision reflected the growing Belgian alarm over the breakdown of the League system of collective security. It was in part, also, the product of the fear that the bilateral alliance with France might, in view of the Franco-Russian alliance, drag Belgium into a war in which the kingdom had no direct interest.

But isolation and neutrality, as nations very much further removed than is Belgium from the European turmoil have discovered, are ideals extremely difficult of achievement in the close-knit world of today. Belgium's security vitally concerns not only Belgium but all the neighboring nations as well. And neither the British nor the French are in the least convinced that new paper pledges guaranteeing the inviolability of Belgian territory will prove a more effective barrier to aggression than were similar pledges in 1914.

That is why Great Britain, for its part, has sought with might and main to find some substitute for the Locarno pact smashed by Hitler a year ago. But its efforts have thus far been in vain. The attempt to write a regional security agreement for western Europe has been shattered on the rock of Germany's unwillingness to tie its hands in eastern Europe.

The French, for their part, regard a western pact that is not linked to a parallel eastern pact simply as an invitation to aggression by Germany against Czechoslovakia, Russia or some other nation in central or eastern Europe. With this attitude on the part of the Paris government Great Britain sympathizes. In lieu of the five-power Locarno pact a Franco-British military alliance is in force.

At the moment Belgium remains the uneasy partner of this Franco-British combination. It would prefer to go its own way and it may do so now that Chancellor Hitler has declared his willingness to pledge respect of Belgian neutrality, provided France does likewise. It is no doubt in part because the London government is opposed to any rash move by Belgium that King Leopold has been invited to England. For if Belgium's return to a neutral status is inevitable, Great Britain would prefer that this development be accompanied by Belgian rearmament efforts on such a scale as to make certain the safeguarding of that neutrality. Belgium, in other words, must put its defenses in order and must maintain them in such a state of efficiency that an aggressor will think twice before invading the kingdom. The British fully realize how effectively Belgium might be used as a base of operations against Great Britain.

It is clear, therefore, that the Anglo-Belgian conversations now taking place in London are no routine affair. On the contrary, they bear the seeds of extremely important possibilities so far as the European balance of power is concerned.

Animal Communication.

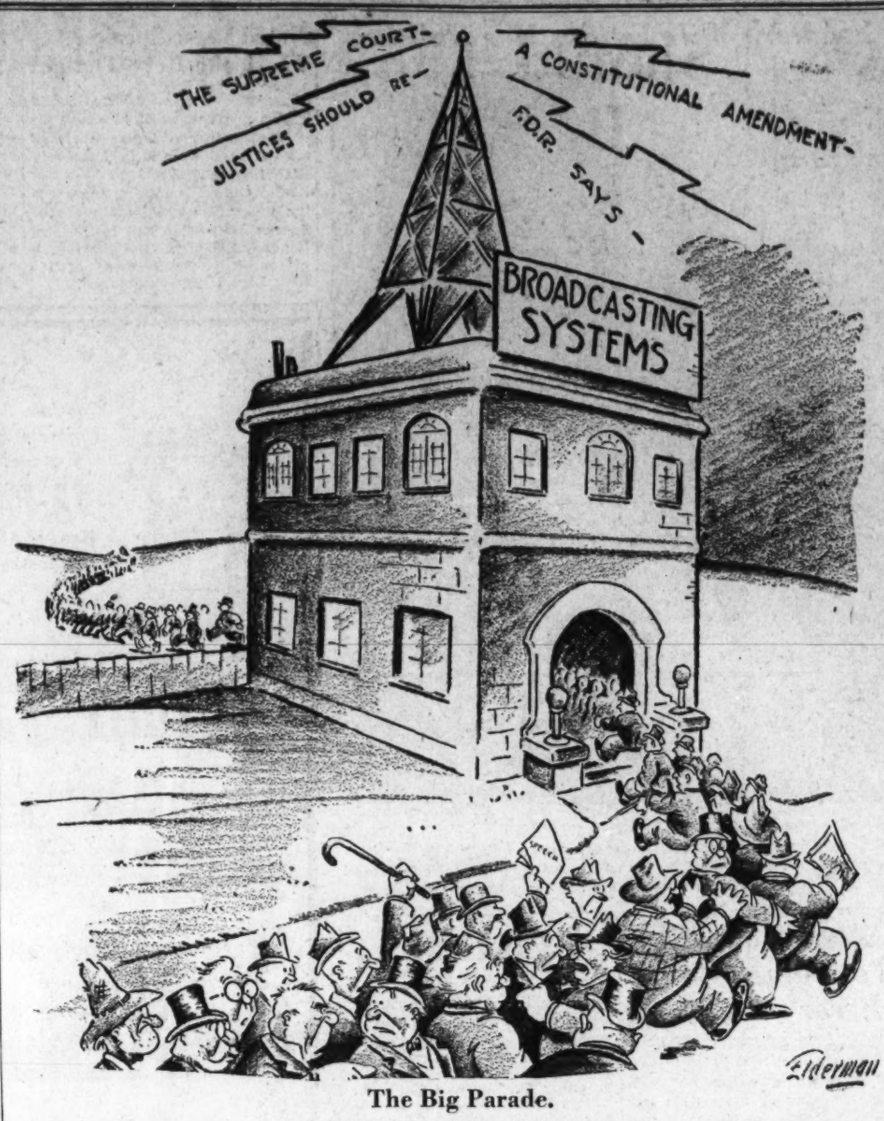
Grace O. Wiley in Natural History.

I am speechless at the revelations manifested so many times in my close association with poisonous snakes. Not one have I found to be vicious or mean, but only afraid, panicky, terror-stricken, like a frightened bird or mammal at first. The king cobra, Egyptian cobra, puff adder, Gaboon viper, Australian black snake, Australian tiger snake, the sea snake and the coral snake, as well as the fer-de-lance, the moccasin, copperhead, and 13 species of rattlesnakes that I have tamed, have all responded to my gesture of sympathy and understanding.

Somehow they know very, very soon that I am friendly, and that I like them. They appear to listen intently when I stand quietly at their open door and talk to them in a low soothing voice. In some unknown manner my idea of sympathy is conveyed to them.

Kearton was also convinced that there was some means of silent communication among penguins in a case of sympathy, although there was no audible conversation at the time. He says, "What is the secret of communication between animals? Giraffes are known to be absolutely silent. No one has ever heard them utter a sound, yet if one giraffe is separated by a hill from the sight of the herd to which he belongs, and that herd takes alarm, the single giraffe knows instantly and gallops to join the others.

I do not think we can account for this by suggesting the existence of a sound vibration to which our ears are not attuned; we seem compelled to fall back upon some wave of thought which is used by certain of the lower animals, although unknown to ourselves.



The Big Parade.

Letters to the Editor

All communications must carry the writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the Editor's discretion. In fairness to other correspondents, brevity is requested. Letters are subject to condensation.

The Jefferson Memorial.

To The Editor of The Post—Sir: The League for Progress in Architecture would like to make two corrections to your news article about the Jefferson Memorial in The Post, March 16.

First—The L. P. A. is not an organization mostly of "architects in Government service." It is an organization of technicians of all kinds, of lawyers, economists, sociologists: people interested in architecture as something primarily having to do with people and the way they live.

Second—The L. P. A. is decidedly against the way the Jefferson Memorial was awarded. Any public monument of such importance should be the subject of a national competition, first as to what the memorial should be, then as to its development. The Jefferson Memorial was awarded to Mr. Pope for completely unknown reasons. True, if columns represent American architecture, he has more columns to his credit than any other living architect and most dead ones.

But are columns architecture?
THE LEAGUE FOR PROGRESS IN ARCHITECTURE.
Washington, March 16.

Better Service Now.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Please permit me to thank you for publishing my letter, a short time ago, in regard for better street cars on the U. S. Soldiers Home line. It has produced good results. We are now enjoying fine new cars, as good as anywhere in the city. Thank you again, as well as the Capital Transit Co. for heeding our wishes and making us comfortable.

RICHARD J. PAHNKE.
Washington, March 20.

Thoughts On Sit-Down Strikes.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: It is said that sit-down strikers are not evicted according to court orders for fear of bloodshed. Every decent citizen should ask himself that if he put up resistance to court orders if the Governor of Michigan or the officials in Washington would shed his blood? There are people in the Michigan penitentiary for committing smaller offenses than taking possession of a factory and threatening anyone with injury or death who tries to get in "without a pass." Is the Governor of Michigan concerned about them?

The sit-downers argue that an employe has a property right in his job and therefore entitled to seize property of his employer. If that is the new morals then domestic servants can seize the house or personal property of their employers, farm hands can seize farms, school teachers can seize schools and preachers seize churches, and Government employes can seize Government buildings. But the unemployed—they are just out of luck.

Anyone who hires a boy to run an errand jeopardizes his property if the boy should think the conditions of his employment are not satisfactory, and it should be remembered that it lies solely with the employe when he shall and shall not seize property, and what and how much property he shall seize. It is not even necessary to be an employe. A self-appointed labor organizer or just a sympathizer has seizure "rights," and woe be to anybody who violates these new morals.

According to the Governor of Michigan, he fears bloodshed if the old morals and laws are enforced. But these new morals do not contain any tenets about the fear of bloodshed. Blood will be shed without hesitation if they are violated. And if the sit-downers get control of the Nation, will they hesitate at bloodshed if anyone tries to sit down on them?

A. V. LEBISTER.
Bethesda, Md., March 20.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: To the American who understands and appreciates what democracy really is, fascism has always seemed just as un-American and as far away from the import of our institutions as communism. When some have been worried about the encroachments of communism in this country, more have been concerned about the growth of fascistic ideals. I myself have been numbered among the latter.

In view of the utter lawlessness and arrogance of labor, however, I am convinced that we must have some form of fascism to save the Nation. The sit-down strikes, for which such specious and illogical defenses have been made, led by men with such names as Davidow, Frankensteen, Adelman, Berman, Gross and others, cannot be tolerated and, I predict, will not be tolerated long.

I have been a stout defender and advocate of President Roosevelt, but I have parted company with him in his supine catering to labor. I look for and hope for a military dictatorship which will outlaw strikes and unions and protect the country against both union leaders and employers. For myself, when that time comes, I am ready to be a member of shock troops which will inaugurate the fighting against unionized labor.

The last straw is the demand of striking workers that they be put on relief. In other words, they leave good jobs, and deliberately hang themselves around the necks of taxpayers, forcing them, whether they wish it or not, to support them in their action.

Several times in the recent strife union leaders have stated that the public is on the side of the striking unionists. That is a mistake. The man in the street who is not a union labor member is severely condemning the unions. Only a little more irritation will be required to organize the public against union labor, so that nothing bearing a union label can be sold. I have already started that course, and intend to buy foreign-made goods rather than buy merchandise made by un-American union labor.

AMERICAN.
Landon, Md., March 19.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Mr. Franklyn Waltman's editorial placing the blame for the sit-down strike epidemic on the Administration arouses me to protest. Mr. Waltman writes so well that a good many people are apt, so to speak, to swallow his words whole without thinking further.

The thesis of those strenuously opposing sit-downs is that they involve unlawful possession of property. Mr. Waltman apparently feels that so long as the employes refuse to vacate these plants, the employers are under no obligation to deal with them. Legally, this is, of course, correct.

After all, however, it is impossible to fight unless one has a weapon. Weapons have been in the employers' hands for many years—and have been used, in most cases with great effectiveness. The courts have many times upheld and protected them. Moreover, in some States—Michigan among them, I believe, although I may be in error—anti-picketing laws have been passed which have taken from labor, in advance of the struggle, its most potent weapon. A striker is, in most instances, fighting for something more than property—he is fighting at the risk of what amounts, in essence, to life itself for him and his family—his job. The fight is for more than the right to organize; the objective is more decent living, wages and hours in step with conditions, the right to bargain collectively. With all of these objectives the Administration is, and has always said that it was, in hearty accord.

General Motors, during the strike, announced that "these men are no longer in the company's employ." If the strikers had not had some powerful weapon with which to fight and a sympathetic Administration to back them, those words would have been literally true. The moral right of workers to have something to say concerning their jobs—even though, to enforce their argument, they may adopt for the moment methods not strictly legal—should have at least as much consideration as the property rights of their employers.

GLADYS PAVLAT.
Lanham, Md., March 20.

Texas School Tragedy.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: You have expressed the feelings of America in your editorial of March 20 under the caption, "Death Ran Amuck." Today the Texas holocaust overshadows all else; the Supreme Court, sit-down strikes, an international diplomatic incident, etc. How petty are the aspirations and foibles of us mortals in comparison with the wrath of injured nature!

Undoubtedly there will be an exhaustive investigation into such a toll of children's lives. As usual it is too late, much too late. Why, oh why in the name of science, that you say is both a promoter of death and prolonger of life, were not the school building and adjacent grounds equipped with proper safeguards?

Although the writer is not a technical man, I wish to advance the suggestion that had adequate underground traps been installed in which to collect seepage of oil and accumulation of gas, this catastrophe might not have happened.

Man-made accidents are nine-tenths preventable as is proved in the case of automobile and aviation mishaps; therefore, if science can devise the means of saving human life, when the forces of nature have been tamed, she should devise methods for making them safe to handle.

GUY d'AULBY.
Washington, March 20.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I suppose it is a trifle late to mention how such a terrifying accident as that school disaster in Texas might have been avoided.

In such a locality they naturally use gas as a means of heating. Instead of having individual gas radiators, if they had had a heating plant, some distance from the school, with steam boilers heated by gas, they would have had perfect steam heat with the plant too far away to injure the school even if it did blow up. Some of these "modern improvements" are wonderful inventions!

We all pity the parents for their loss! It was all so sudden that probably most of the children did not suffer agonizing pain.

H. BRADFORD.
Bethesda, Md., March 20.

Plea For Inflation.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The statement of Marriner S. Eccles, chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, published in The Post, March 16, to correct erroneous interpretations of his monetary policies, is interesting, instructive and encouraging.

He says: "I cannot at this juncture favor the remedy of tight money and high interest rates, to reach special conditions." It would be interesting to know what influences are endeavoring to bring about tight money and high interest rates.

Certainly agriculture, commerce and industry are demanding, and must have more money, more credit and lower interest rates than ever before in the Nation's history if prosperity is to be restored, the unemployment problem solved, the budget balanced and the 40,000,000 undernourished, poorly clad, and badly housed American citizens afforded an opportunity to better their condition.

This statement from the chairman comes as a welcome surprise to those of us who viewed with alarm the action of the Reserve Board, on three recent occasions, increasing the reserve requirements of member banks for the avowed purpose of reducing the amount of money in circulation—a deflationary policy which precipitated the panic of 1920, equivalent in stupidity to burning down the barn to get rid of a few rats.

Admitting that credit inflation followed by currency contraction brought about the collapse of our financial system following the stock market crash in 1929, now that it is possible for the Federal Reserve Board to provide an adequate medium of exchange, even if it is "fountain-pen money," there is no excuse for a continuation or a repetition of the tragic human misery and unjustifiable business stagnation which for seven years has afflicted this Nation.

J. CLYDE BYARS.
Arlington, Va., March 14.

The Post Impressionist

Many-Sided Paderewski.

WHEN I heard that Paderewski had actually consented to take part in a "movie," to be screened in a representation, in which he plays the "Moonlight Sonata," my thoughts went back to an experience I shall never forget.

It was in the Auditorium in Chicago one winter afternoon in the early nineties of the past century. The darkened hall was packed, jammed, and there was no standing room. We "gallery gods" looked down on a dimly-lit stage platform and could just see a concert grand piano. What looked like the head of a very tawny lion was in front of it. The head—and the man below it—was waiting till the storm of "bravos," "bis" and "encores" had subsided—not to repeat the lauded number, but to go on with the program. His next number was the unforgettable "Moonlight Sonata"—as only he could play it.

The lion was master, not only of his art and his instrument, but of his audience as well. The lion's head, master of art, instrument and those who listened, master because of the direct power of honest achievement, not trickery—that was my first picture and impression of Ignace Jan Paderewski!

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More than a score of years had passed before I saw him again. The great war had been wrecking Europe for a couple of years. It had been my privilege—since hearing the artist the first time—to visit his fatherland and to write sympathetically certain things concerning the country which may be aptly called the "knight among nations."

One Saturday noon in April—a regular American half holiday—as I entered my Washington home I started in amazement. There, in my own parlor—was it possible?—and unannounced, that "head of a lion," waiting to thank poor me for what I had done for his country! Such a couple of hours as we spent in conversation! The lion's head is never more fascinating than when in intellectual exchange.

In Paris, at Versailles, a little later, I sat in a company of American journalists to hear what the representatives of the new liberated nations of the old world had to say by way of acknowledgment. Paderewski arose, shook his lion's head and made a sympathetic address in Polish to his countrymen there represented. Then he turned to the Europeans of other nationalities and spoke inspiringly in French. Then, without a moment's hesitation, he swung around to us American newspapermen and addressed us in English—American, living English.

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Three more years passed. The march of events had brought me, in the service of my government, to Warsaw, the capital of reborn, regenerated, independent and united Poland. After being twice premier of his country and stepping aside when his mandate seemed in the least uncertain, Paderewski was returning from a brief stay abroad to his native land. Warsaw, that historic crossroads of Occident and Orient, that political center of government of a proletarian peasant state, vainly striving to revive and uphold the traditions of an aristocratic order forever departed; Warsaw, thinking in terms of historic Polish heroism and the symbolism of centuries gone, while faced with problems of food regulation, sanitation and the multitude of other primitive cave-man things and necessities that the war brought to the front; Warsaw, true to Polish form, welcomed her artist patriot leader (then only a private citizen) in truly medieval Polish style, as though he had been the lineal and immediate successor of John Sobieski.

From his own Hotel Bristol to the Zamek—the royal castle—at which he was to be received officially, all street lights of every kind had been extinguished. Lining the avenues and streets along which he was to pass, on either hand were solid walls of human beings, with torches and flambeaux of every imaginable shape and size, to light the artist statesman on his way. Between these walls of human lamp-posts "dieser Musiker" (as the Germans called him contemptuously) moved slowly, a truly royal figure, as did Sobieski when he emerged from Willenow on some royal mission, and as other Polish monarchs had done before him. Just as the tonalities of his art had conquered the world, so the purity and clarity of Paderewski's patriotism had taken captive the hearts of his countrymen.

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I like to remember him with his devoted, ever solicitous wife at his side, presiding over a simple dinner at the Bristol one evening in June, 1920. While Paderewska fluttered around him, begging him to take care of himself on his approaching trip to London, he was gleeful over the fact that Oxford was going to make him an LL. D. He was also bubbling over with interest in his new daily newspaper, "Rzeczpospolita Polska" (Polish Republic) which had just made its initial appearance. One newspaper, he remarked, is "worth a hundred near-statesmen."

LOUIS E. VAN NORMAN.

Fair Enough

By *Westbrook Pegler*

Souvenirs.

THE AMERICANS were known as the most enthusiastic souvenir hunters of the great war, and a great aggregate tonnage of shell cases, tin hats, enemy pants buttons, iron crosses, spike helmets and all such brave, pathetic junk still clutters the attics of the veterans everywhere. There is scarcely a village green or courthouse lawn but has its captured field piece, machine gun or minnie, the weight and caliber of the prize varying according to the size of the town and the political influence of its Congressman at the time of the distribution.

But of all the purely sentimental relics which this country derived from the war for democracy there is none so interesting as a rather compact batch of documents reposing in a strong room on the ground floor of the Treasury Building on the Pennsylvania avenue side. These are the I O U's, the bonds given by the late gallant allies of the U. S. A. in return for the billions of dollars of loans and sales which saw them through the contest and the reconstruction.

The bill is approximately $12,000,000,000, and generally is recognized as a bad debt by now, so the bonds have somewhat the same character as those soap wrapper marks which the Germans printed by the billion in the days when they were going through the wringer of bankruptcy. If this country were to take a bath, as the saying goes, and its assets were set down on paper for the information of the creditors, those bonds would be put in as of little or no value except as souvenirs. See attached proof.

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BEING OF A literal and perhaps morbid mind, your correspondent often wished to see and touch the actual physical evidence of the great debt, and last week, thanks to the co-operation of Mr. Herbert Gaston, of the Treasury Department, it was possible to do so. Mr. Gaston called up some numbers in the building and five minutes later your correspondent was escorted into a secluded room and up to the door of a vault known as the security room. There was a shutter in the door like the eye of an old-time speak-easy, and when the shutter opened and a man squinted out your correspondent was about to say, "It's all right. We are friends of Eddie."

Instead, however, the guide gave the office and we entered, the door being closed behind us. Not suspiciously, perhaps, but carefully, nevertheless, the door was closed and Mr. Bradley Proctor, who has charge of the souvenirs, got out some large manila filing envelopes and produced first, a number of attractive single-page French bonds.

They called for varying amounts on an apparently staggered schedule of dates running deep into the future, and Mr. Proctor handed over one for $63,004,207.80, dated June 15, 1925, and maturing June 15 this year.

"The French Republic, hereinafter called France," it said, "for value received, promises to pay to the Government of the United States of America, hereinafter called the United States, or order," and so forth.

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THEN THERE was a British bond, a large folder with a blue border and done in beautiful script, amount $4,600,000, maturing December 15, 1984.

"The Government of the United Kingdom, hereinafter called Great Britain, for value received, promises to pay to the United States of America, hereinafter called the United States," it began. Payments had been made on this one and noted in ink in a space provided on page three, but no payments were being received any more.

Millions, billions of dollars, and not a dollar's worth in the entire lot.

Then there was a great blanket contract with Italy, couched in Italian and signed boldly, "B. Mussolini." He, too, promised to pay, pledging Italy's sacred honor, but there came more urgent demands on Italy's honor in the defensive war against Abyssinia and B. Mussolini defaulted, too.

So there they rest in manila folders in the vault. Souvenir of the great war.

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The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

The Garble Sisters (Haze And Daze).

"I see where Sonja Henie is on a flight around the equator."

"Yeah. I read about it. What's the idea of flying around the equator, anyhow?"

"It's the last chance to fly around one, I guess."

"Why?"

"I think they're going to abolish 'em as too old or somethin'."

"Can they abolish equators?"

"They can abolish anything these days."

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"What's the latest from Michigan?"

"There ain't anything real new outside of the fact that John L. Townsend has been sentenced to jail for contempt of the Chrysler Co., and the American Bar Association has voted against any tampering with the middle horse."

"What middle horse?"

"I dunno, except that it's the one Roosevelt don't like because it stands up while the other two horses sit down."

"Aren't you a little mixed up?"

"I wouldn't be surprised. Do you know anybody who ain't?"

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"What's new in the war between Germany and Fiorella LaGuardia?"

"I guess it's all over now unless that fellow Der Angriff violates the neutrality of the Flushing World Fair."

"I read where Manuel Quezon was in this country."

"Is he? Well, those Cuban ball players always seem to be in demand in American clubs. It seems good to feel that the baseball season is so near. Has Homer Martin signed up with anybody yet?"

"I think Martin is still a holdout, but Joe Kennedy is back with Washington, and I think Myron Taylor has signed."

"How about Dizzy Motors?"

"He finally gave in and will play with Frank Murphy's outfit, with Alexandria Lewis at first base."

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"What do you think of the Supreme Court issue?"

"Judge Campbell ordered all those Justices to quit occupying the court and get out without further trouble."

"On what ground?"

"On the ground that the Supreme Court is the private property of the Democratic Party."

"Will the Justices go peacefully?"

"It's hard to say. I understand they contend that they have a right to occupy the bench under section 4, paragraph 8, under the surtax clause."

"Do you think they'll win?"

"The whole matter may have to go to Judge Landis."

"What Judge Landis?"

"He's the new dean of Harvard, I think."

"Well, now we're both straight on everything!"

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Times Square.

Rumble and tumble of mobile things,
Pomp and pagentry of kings,
Crash of a thousand electric eyes,
Flash of glamour and dim disguise;
Pose of apathy and false appeal,
Hum of the ever-turning wheel—
There in the stealth of static signs
An old man looks for Hammerstein's.

—Jade Wilson.

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Standing Room Only.

"Tickets for the Supreme Court are sold for weeks in advance," says Kin Mathews. "They're packing them in!"

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Should The Court Be Revised?

Correspondence Pro And Con From Readers

'The Post Of Lookout.'

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

Justice McReynolds' words at the fraternity dinner may serve a useful purpose in bringing into sharper focus the point at issue between President Roosevelt's Administration and the majority of the Supreme Court. It appears that this is not a difference in interpretation of the Constitution so much as in evaluation of certain facts in our national life.

Justice McReynolds speaks of a "troublesome" world. He admits that to him the restlessness among the people is "strange." We all know that Mr. Roosevelt finds nothing strange about restlessness in a people one-third of whom are ill-nourished, ill-clad and ill-housed, in the midst of plenty. And we may surmise that to Mr. Roosevelt the word "troublesome" would seem strangely inadequate to describe the state of the world today.

It would be unfair to subject to too critical scrutiny words spoken after dinner, but still no one can help being struck by the contrast between the two men in their appraisals of the same situation, both at home and abroad, and the question arises naturally, whether here is not the key to hte many adverse court decisions on New Deal legislation.

In the present challenging state of the world, Mr. Roosevelt sees definite danger to the public peace and safety and to democratic government itself in leaving unsolved or in indefinitely putting off the solution of certain economic and social problems, especially since the people, in three successive elections, have been ever more insistently demanding their immediate solution. The majority of the Supreme Court does not admit the danger.

Have we here to do with the difference in point of view between the court of law, whose chief occupation is to punish, and the administrator, whose object it is to make things succeed? Does it just come more natural to a court of law to allow government wide latitude to meet danger by punishment than to permit it a little latitude to remove the grievances from which the danger springs?

There is no such phrase in the Constitution as that the Congress and the President shall act "by and with the advice and consent" of the Supreme Court. And it is to the President and not to the court that the Constitution assigns the post of lookout. It is the Congress's business to set the course, the court's business to keep up a supply of power through the engines of the law, and either one imperils the ship when it refuses to pay heed to the voice from the crow's nest.

FLORENCE A. CARPENTER.
Washington, March 20.

'President Against People.'

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

Many military battles have been won or lost because of the careful selection by one of the opposing forces of the battlefield. The outcome of the battle of Waterloo and the history of the world might have been radically changed had Napoleon exercised greater care in avoiding the famous sunken road.

The same is true with respect to battles over great public issues. Victory often goes to him who has carefully selected the ground upon which the issue shall be debated and fought.

So far the opposition Senators have seemed content to wage the battle with the President on the ground chosen by him. They have only dimly seen that the Supreme Court is not the real issue. Consequently, they have been fighting at a real disadvantage because no one can fight as effectively with weapons chosen by another.

The real issue is one of the President against the people. The only question before the Congress is whether the so-called liberalization of the Supreme Court shall be accomplished by the legislation proposed by the President or by constitutional amendment.

The opposition Senators, therefore, are really conducting a battle, not primarily to save the Supreme Court but, as the duly elected representatives of the people, to save to their constituents the power to regulate the government and governmental institutions. The congressional proponents of the President's plan, on the other hand, are without any direct grant of authority from their principals, attempting to take this power away from the citizens whose interests they were elected to represent.

If, in this crisis, the people give up to the President the right to run the governmental team, they may never re-acquire that right. Powers once lost are not easily regained. Each citizen should, therefore, look at the present controversy from the point of view of whether he is willing to abdicate as the final arbiter of the relations between the various branches of his government, in favor of the head of one of those co-ordinate branches. He must make his choice with the full realization that if he does abdicate now, he may never be able to assume his sovereignty again.

P. F. H.
Washington, March 19.

'Out-Of-Date Supreme Court.'

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

As a citizen of the State of Texas, I am proud to see that our senior Senator, Hon. Morris Sheppard, is loyally supporting our great President in his brave fight to bring the United States in line with the present needs and aspirations of our country—not after one, two or more years through the uncertain medium of a hazy constitutional amendment, but right now!

The very fact that the President was given such a tremendous vote of confidence in the election last fall, which did away with party and State lines, shows that the American people are on the march for better things and nothing will stop them—least of all a reactionary, out-of-date Supreme Court. As the President convincingly put it: "In the United States democracy has not yet failed and does not need to fail. And we propose not to let it fail!"

CHARLES FISK TANSILL.
Washington, March 18.

Editor's Note.

Since February 5, when the President first announced his plan for reforming the judiciary, The Post has received many letters discussing the proposal. The views of almost all correspondents have been published, in greater or lesser length, although those who have followed up their arguments with second and third communicatoins have not generally been accommodated.

Entirely excluded from these columns have been many circular letters, most of them bearing distant postmarks. Letters not originally addressed to The Post are ineligible for publication.

'Another Change.'

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

The proposed removal of constitutional checks as judged by an independent Supreme Court, through special cases brought before it, would give Congress and the Executive carte blanche for two years and for four years to come. Hence this change would require another one in our system of government in order to maintain its government by the people. The change would be to provide for the possibility of frequent re-elections and for the recall, as suggested by the English system.

By no possibility can the voters in any one November foresee what new questions will arise in the ensuing two years or four years, nor foresee how long their approval of their self-imposed rulers may continue.

If the Government may say unqualifiedly without any constitutional checks, we want what we want now, so should the voters be free at any time to say, we want to vote again, now; not at some prestated November two or three years away from now—but now.

Otherwise the Government rests assured that the Constitution will allow it to do anything it thinks best to do, right away, now. And it may say, the Constitution does not allow you, the people, to do as you may want to, right away, now. You must let us stay in office as the Constitution provides, but under that same Constitution we can do as we want to.

A. RICHMOND.
Washington, March 19.

'Dooley Was Only Joshing.'

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

When the great humorist, Finley Peter Dunne, the creator of Mr. Dooley, poked fun at the Supreme Court when he said "The court's decisions follow the election returns," he probably was as serious as was Dr. Osler when the great physician quoted Anthony Trollope, who, in his charming novel "The Fixed Period," discussed the practical advantages of chloroforming men at the age of 60.

Everyone, possessed of even ordinary intelligence, knew that both Mr. Dooley and Dr. Osler were only joshing. The sad thing is that we now have a President who has taken Mr. Dooley seriously, and is furious because the court has refused to permit the President's own election returns to influence it.

That President Roosevelt took Mr. Dooley seriously when he should have known he was joking is self-evident because he is now trying to force the court to do what he knows it should not do, i. e., follow the election returns.

The Congress composed almost entirely of partisan politicians who are elected by the people usually are influenced by the election returns, especially when led by a President who stops at nothing to secure popular approval. The court, however, is something else again. It is not elected by the people and should not follow the election returns. In other words, President Roosevelt is criticizing the court for doing exactly what as he very well knows, it was intended that it should do.

It is a shame Mr. Dooley is not alive so that he could explain his humor to Mr. Roosevelt, but even then it is doubtful if the President would understand because he would not want to understand. Dictators are tough birds and the President is no exception to this all but infallible rule.

HARRY F. KLINEFELTER.
Baltimore, Md., March 20.

'The Majority Must Rule.'

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

The United States Supreme Court did nothing to keep millions of the masses from starving to death in the past six or seven years, but Franklin D. Roosevelt promptly came to their rescue after his election to the Presidency. His prompt action in closing all of the banks throughout the country so as to ferret out the insolvent ones (which were too numerous to mention) was an act designed solely for the poor and honest investors throughout the land.

True, as stated by the opponents of Mr. Roosevelt's plan for reorganizing the membership of the Supreme Court, the Constitution could be changed from time to time by amendments, but what would the starving masses do in the interim while Congress was hashing and rehashing the question day in and day out, winding up possibly in some sort of a filibuster or whatnot which would delay the matter being voted or acted on until the succeeding Congress convened?

The people of the country have needed and still need prompt and decisive action, and so voiced themselves in 1932 and again in 1936, when they elected Franklin D. Roosevelt to guide them in their destiny as Chief Executive of the Nation.

In a government of the people, by the people and for the people, the majority must rule—not the members of the Supreme Court, be they nine old men or nine young men.

Q. RILEY.
Washington, March 17.

'Barefaced Scheme.'

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

In one of his all-power-to-me orations, President Roosevelt emitted a loud squawk—duly echoed by several of his men-Friday among the radio debaters—to the effect that he had appointed no justices, whereas appointments made by his predecessors were dug up and tabulated by his special investigators. All of which was put forth as naughty-naughty and oppressive to the New Deal and the pee-pul.

Roosevelt forgets, or is not overscrupulous about remembering these appointments were not engineered or desired by his predecessors; that no yell would have rent the air had the former justices continued to officiate. The appointments were in some cases painful duties resulting from the processes of Nature, with which only Roosevelt has presumed to tamper for private ends. But, of course, all this was in the days of smooth and orderly courses of government, before Uncle became Pappy, and the Government machine became a high-speed juggernaut, headed downhill in high.

Roosevelt forgets the still more important fact that no such barefaced scheme as his own, to get across repudiated legislation, was resorted to by these previous Executives, whom he appears to envy. None of them had a rubber-stamp Congress; and fewer still, may Heaven be praised, a mandate.

E. G. BARR.
Washington, March 16.

'Form An American Party.'

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

While that perfectly delightful gentleman of the White House escapes to Georgia for a brief respite from the strenuous, self-imposed duties of "packing" the court, he casts about for new worlds to conquer. Perceiving the war note in his European brother's eye, he is blinded to the "striking" beam within his own, seeing not the grave need for peace in America.

We are faced, not with any "quiet crisis" as the softly persuasive voice recently assured us, but with the most clamorous and dangerous crisis America has ever known throughout its history.

Will fearless, forward-looking, faithful citizens join with me in establishing at once an American Party, regardless of race, creed or party? An American Party founded on a new Declaration of Independence? And shall we stand together, whatever the battle before us?

GREGORY DEXTER.
Washington, March 18.

The President Consistent.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

Will you be kind enough to explain why so many people are suddenly and violently opposed to Mr. Roosevelt's Supreme Court plan.

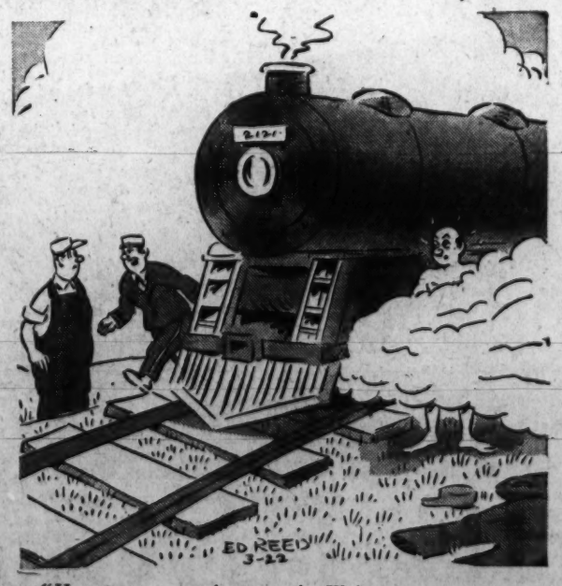
After his first inauguration he showed plainly how he felt toward the Constitution. He took no more solemn oath to uphold it, in 1937, and is not his present proposal the logical addition to the acts of his first term?

The country, with almost no Democratic outcry against his attitude, had re-elected him by an overwhelming majority, so is it any wonder if he thought he could destroy such of our liberties—150 years in the making—as were distasteful to him, with the same ease as the wind in the dust bowl destroyed the precious top soil, which also took 150 years to grow—when the natural obstruction to such a course were removed?

W. WRIGHT.
Washington, March 19.

Off the Record.

By Ed Reed



"Hangover or no hangover! We're twenty minutes late already!"

Particular Viewpoints

Farmer.

My Congressman from the Shenandoah Valley once told me in person in the House Office Building that he could not promise anything definite to a committee of farmers, including myself. He explained that he was in Washington to do what the President wanted. If the Executive should control the judiciary also, would we not then have a dictatorship in disguise and not a democratic government? It would be folly to appeal for redress to any other than the Executive.

PAUL E. RHINEHART.
McLean, Va., March 16.

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Taxi Driver.

Recently a friend asked the following questions of a taxi driver in Washington:

1. Are you, and have you been, generally favorable to the so-called "New Deal?"

2. Are you in favor of the President's Supreme Court proposal?

To the first he replied yes; to the second, no. When pressed for a reason for his lack of support for the Supreme Court matter, he said: "I sometimes drive this car 60 miles an hour, but I wouldn't drive that fast nor half that fast if I didn't have good brakes, and I don't want the brakes controlled by the engine, either."

VIRGIL H. CLYMER.
Syracuse, N. Y., March 18.

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Southerner.

I am a Southerner. I love my section of our common country. But I am also an American who is deeply attached to our institutions as formulated and handed down to us by our forefathers. I regard anyone who would mar or destroy them as a public enemy.

Under our Constitution, which, though not perfect, is the greatest instrument ever struck off in a given time by the brain of man, and which embodies the hopes, the aspirations and the struggles of mankind for 2,000 years, and under which our Government has survived all other governments of the past that have crumbled into dust and are "gone with the wind," our people are better off in the material things of life than any other people on the face of the globe.

Without an independent judiciary there can be no individual liberty or protection to property rights, or to the rights of minorities, and in consequence, as history teaches, in countries without the balance wheel of an independent judiciary revolution and civil war are not infrequent.

ALEXANDER SIDNEY LANIER.
Washingtno, March 16.

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Mr. Roosevelt needs but this next step to be the complete master of the situation. No doubt he will, should he succeed in his endeavor to gain control of the court, finally do away with both court and legislature following the usual formula of dictators. He will thus simplify matters considerably by governing by decrees and mandates.

The writer, who has lived through almost half of all the ages this Government has known, would rather, if he had any choice in the matter, end his days in such an atmosphere than under a deadening and ambition-killing mountain of legislation.

W. G. EISINGER.
Washington, March 17.

An Open Letter

To the Editor of The Post—Sir:

I attach a letter I have recently addressed to the Hon. George W. Norris.

CARR V. VAN ANDA.
New York City, March 20.

My Dear Senator Norris:

Your address to the Senate on March 12, on the powers of Congress in relation to the Supreme Court, should be carefully considered by every citizen; but not without equal attention to the probable consequences of the various amendments intended to give constitutional effect to the theory, of which you are perhaps the foremost advocate, that no law should be declared unconstitutional except by the vote of two-thirds or more of the justices of the Supreme Court.

Two of these amendments were introduced on the day of your speech: one, by Senator Andrews, of Florida, prescribing that the invalidating vote, restricted to acts of Congress, shall be that of not less than two-thirds of the justices; the other, by Senator O'Mahoney, of Wyoming, applying the two-thirds rule to State laws as well as laws of Congress. Other amendments previously introduced except the Bill of Rights from the operation of this rule, or provide for the restoration of an invalidated law by the vote of a subsequent Congress.

Senator O'Mahoney's amendment reads:

> No law of the United States or of any State shall be held to be unconstitutional by any inferior court, and not by the Supreme Court unless two-thirds of the members thereof shall specifically and by separate opinion find it se beyond a reasonable doubt.

I venture to submit a few of the many considerations opposed to this and every similar proposal.

1. The Supreme Court once so divided that there was a majority of only one on the question of sustaining a verdict of murder in the first degree. Suppose the conviction to have been obtained under a State law alleged to be unconstitutional. If four justices out of nine, or six out of fifteen, vote that the State law is constitutional, a minority of the Supreme Court condemns to death a possibly innocent person, who would be saved under the present majority rule. I do not ask if you would approve such a result. * * *

2. Is it not clear that any such amendment, however useful it might be for the validation of a few laws desired by a transient Administration, would take from the majority of the Supreme Court the power to negative unconstitutional legislation and give to a minority the power to affirm it?

Senator Andrews' amendment has certain merits. It corrects the errors in the law for the retirement of judges of the inferior courts and in the separate law for the retirement of Supreme Court justices, the latter of which, just passed, is clearly unconstitutional. It does this by uniting the proper provisions, adding a compulsory retirement age of 75 years, and placing the whole where it belongs—in the Constitution itself. The careless provision of the old law, permitting the President to appoint successors to retired judges without confirmation by the Senate, is eliminated, along with the stupid repetition of it in the law for the retirement of Supreme Court justices. It would be worth while to amend the Constitution for the single purpose of removing from the statute books this shabby attempt to lure certain justices, for a miserable pecuniary consideration, into an illegal withdrawal from one court and entrance into another, without intervening resignations and new appointments.

So far all this is gratifying, except that some persons may find fault with the compulsory retirement age. But the amendment has all the ills of Senator O'Mahoney's and a special malady of its own. Its two-thirds rule applied to the constitutionality of acts of Congress and its majority rule applied to all other cases, including those involving the constitutionality of State laws, present a strong probability of deadlocks between State and Nation.

Suppose again a case of conflicting authority. Five justices give constitutional sanction to the State law, four to the Federal law. Both are, therefore, constitutional, which would seem to mean that there is no decision at all and no means of reaching one. But can it be doubted that the Federal Government would arbitrarily enforce the ruling in its favor against the ruling for the State?

Another difficulty is the failure of the amendment to prescribe procedure in constitutional cases in the inferior courts. Are they to pass on such cases by a majority vote, or a two-thirds vote, or not at all? * * *

The only plausible argument in favor of conditioning unconstitutionality upon the vote of more than just a majority of the Supreme Court is that based on "reasonable doubt," which affords an almost unlimited opportunity for casuistic hair-splitting. It can be argued that there is reasonable doubt if a single justice holds out against the eight others and that there should be no adverse decision unless the vote is unanimous.

In spite of all attempts by jurists and lexicographers, reasonable doubt can not be accurately and permanently defined in any arguable case. The only practical test, therefore, is majority opinion, whether the majority be large or small. Obviously no right of the people should be taken away by the votes of a minority. If the majority in favor of a decision, reached by the present method, is one vote or many votes, the decision can be reversed by the people, not only because they may consider it erroneous, but also merely because they may be displeased with it.

Notwithstanding the complaints of the impatient, amendment of the Constitution is an adequate remedy for any such decision of the Supreme Court. But once an amendment is adopted making the rights guaranteed by the Constitution to the people, collectively or individually, subject to denial by a minority of the Supreme Court—a minority that may be placed there at any time for that purpose by the connivance of an ambitious President and a subservient Congress—those rights may never be regained. A new form of government will have been established.

You argue at great length that Congress has power to prevent interpretation of the Constitution by the Supreme Court. It could use its authority to limit the work of the court (an authority obviously designed to prevent the accumulation of an intolerable amount of work) and its authority to forbid the inferior courts to declare any law unconstitutional. Thus there would be no constitutional cases upon which appeals to the Supreme Court could be based.

Perhaps that last resort can be avoided by trying intimidation. The court is therefore asked why it will not itself adopt the two-thirds rule and avoid further trouble. There is a polite hint that Congress will proceed to impose the rule, either by statute or by its submission to the people in an amendment to the Constitution, if the court does not promptly comply. But it is possible the court might find the new rule, whether set up by statute or by an amendment to the Constitution, incompatible with the rest of the Constitution. The President and the Attorney General have intimated that they might share such a view.

Therefore you conclude with the definite threat that if "the present intolerable situation continues . . . all authority of any court to declare an act of Congress unconstitutional will be taken away."

This is in effect a proposal to begin a progressive destruction of the Constitution by a succession of acts of Congress which cannot be tested by any tribunal. It would place at the mercy of every political change the rights of every class and of every individual in the Nation. Every piece of legislation, enacted or proposed, that is considered in this letter exposes a haste or negligence that cries aloud the need for tribunals of review.

No such threat against our system of government has been uttered in Congress since the beginning of the Civil War. I repeat that it demands the attention of every citizen of the United States who values his liberty.

[The above communication was slightly excerpted, as indicated by asterisks.—Editor.]

Work on New Road Starts.

Waynesboro, Va., March 22 (AP).—Work was begun today on clearing the right-of-way for the Skyline Drive link between Brown's Gap and Black Rock. Heavy road-building machinery was brought to the scene from Grottoes.

Feet Of Clay

By *Barnet Nover*

Deflating A Myth.

THE ROUT of the Italian army in the Guadalajara zone has now reached the point where the gloating of Gen. Miaja appears to be justified. The generalissimo of the Spanish government forces recently added insult to injury when, following the smash-up of the Italian offensive, he declared in a proclamation to his troops:

"Are these the men on whom the countries which wish to inflame the world must rely? Do not fear these armies of tin soldiers which try to strike terror into the hearts of other people!"

Gen. Miaja may be the victim of overconfidence. There is no certainty that Mussolini, now rushing back to Rome from Libya, will accept the challenge of the Spanish loyalists lying down. He may, on the contrary, decide to send into the war zone a larger Italian force than ever before in order to restore Italy's military prestige. For the time being, however, that prestige has been greatly tarnished by the turn of events at Guadalajara. For the time being Mussolini has received a serious setback whose potential importance can hardly be exaggerated.

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THE DUCE has had few such setbacks of late. In 1934 he could take credit for preventing a Nazi invasion of Austria by rushing troops to the Brenner Pass immediately after the news reached Rome of the assassination of Chancellor Dollfuss.

The next year saw Premier Laval, hat in hand, bidding at Rome for Italian co-operation with France and offering substantial concessions in return. In 1935, despite the opposition of Great Britain and the League of Nations, the Duce ordered his legions into Ethiopia to conquer the last remaining bit of free Africa. Last year saw Ethiopia's incorporation in a new and expanding Roman empire. It also saw Italy linked with Germany and through Germany with Japan in what appeared to be a combination of dissatisfied powers whose dynamic potentialities were not lessened in the least by the fact that the peace-loving democracies were in the grip of a panic state of mind.

A symbol of German-Italian co-operation; a symbol, too, of the timorousness of the democracies was the Italo-German intervention in Spain. So eager were France and Great Britain to avoid subjecting the peace of Europe to the slightest additional strain that they felt themselves compelled to accept the assurances of the Fascist powers that the Germans and Italians in Spain were simply "volunteers" enamored of Gen. Franco's cause.

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DURING ALL THESE MONTHS the myth of Fascist war-making power was unchallenged. The Spanish fighting has shown, however, that it is, in certain respects, a myth and nothing more. German airplanes, military supplies and technical advisers did help Franco achieve his triumphal march from the Mediterranean to the gates of Madrid. An Italian army captured Malaga. But according to the testimony of many neutral observers the Spanish civil war has clearly revealed that German and Italian military equipment has proved faulty in many particulars. And now there is the rout of the Italian army in the Guadalajara zone as an indication that Italy's war potential which threw such a care into the British at the time of the Ethiopian conflict may have been exaggerated.

One by one the idols are proving to have feet of clay. So long as the bluff of the aggressive powers was not called the belief in their invincibility steadily expanded. It proved an effective diplomatic weapon. The policy of blackmail pursued by Berlin and Rome has paid large dividends. Yet subjected to the acid test of reality this belief turns out to be based on false premises.

The evidence provided by the fighting in Spain is, of course, not in the least conclusive. Such as it is, however, it does create the possibility that the rearmament of Germany and of Italy may be more impressive on paper than in reality. And, at the same time, behind the smoke screen of censorship it is becoming more and more clear that all is not well internally with the Fascist dictatorships and Japan.

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IN A FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION report written by John C. De Wilde and published this week the point is made, with considerable supporting evidence, that while the financial and economic situation in the Third Reich is not yet desperate it is becoming increasingly acute.

Germany, says this report, faces the necessity of choosing between unwelcome alternatives. On the one hand it may seek to break the tightening bonds of economic distress and financial stringency by embarking on a foreign war. But with each passing day the advantages in such a war are likely to be more and more with the enemies of the Third Reich. On the other hand, the Nazi regime may decide to abandon autarchy and rearmament and permit "the re-integration of Germany in the world economy."

The latter, Mr. De Wilde points out, cannot be done without the abandonment of the whole Nazi program of territorial expansion.

This seems, at first glance, to be out of the question. Yet in a world in which surprising changes take place overnight, such a possibility cannot be dismissed as wholly fantastic.

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WHO WOULD have imagined six months ago, for instance, that the outlook for peace in the Far East would today be as relatively bright as it is? So shrewd and well-informed an observer as Frank H. Hedges, in a series of articles appearing on this page last fall, declared that a Sino-Japanese war was almost a certainty. And Messrs. Abend and Billingham, of the New York Times, in their thoughtful work, "Can China Survive?" answered this question largely in the negative.

The fact of the matter is, however, that today Japan's forward policy on the mainland is being effectively challenged not only by a resurgent China but also by a disgruntled and disillusioned population back home.

The gains made by the militarists are impressive on paper—all of vast Manchuria, a part of Inner Mongolia and of North China—but the costs are bearing down heavily on the already overburdened backs of the Japanese people. Today Japanese statesmen are again beginning to employ, in their discussions of foreign affairs, the language of sweet reasonableness rather than those of militaristic bluster.

The world situation has undergone a subtle yet significant change during recent months. The aggressive powers are no longer unchallenged masters of the situation. Their weaknesses have slowly but surely been exposed—in Spain, along the frontier of Suiyan; in the chambers of the Japanese Diet and, not least, in their own balance sheets.

It is a development which can be made the turning point of a new effort to consolidate peace if only the peace-loving democracies make good use of the advantageous position in which they now find themselves.

Spring

By William Lyon Phelps.

Calendric Poems.

The beginning of Spring is always an exciting date in the calendar. And I suppose more poems have been written about spring than about any other season of the year. Curiously enough, the great Russian poet, Pushkin, was always depressed by the coming of Spring. He never felt any impulse to write in the very time when most of the poets of the world were in active eruption. With Pushkin autumn was always his most productive period. One would have thought that the autumn, dark and gloomy in Russia, and a harbinger of a long, terrible, ice-bound winter, would have frozen the poet's inspiration; but it was just the contrary. There was something in the tang of autumn air and the long evenings that gave him invariably a feeling of happiness that resulted in some of the finest poetry of the nineteenth century.

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But with most poets, and I think with most persons, the coming of spring is a delight; the lengthening days, the warmer air, the return of the birds from their Southern resorts, the renewal of life in all the trees have cheered and inspired men for the last 40,000 years.

But of all the poems about spring ever written, the most beautiful is the brief one in the Old Testament in the Song of Solomon, which goes as follows:

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'Easy Solution' In Cutting Air Death Denied

Report Copeland Group Was 'Prejudiced' Is Deprecated.

Reports the Copeland air safety committee employed "prejudiced" investigators who sought an "easy solution" of the air crash that killed Senator Bronson Cutting were deprecated last night by the two principals—Assistant Secreary of Commerce J. M. Johnson, to whose November 23 letter the remarks were attributed, and Senator Royal S. Copeland (Democrat), of New York, chairman of the Senate committee investigating the Cutting crash and aviation safety in general.

Last night Johnson said the charge, made in a letter to Copeland five months ago but made public only two days ago, was a closed incident, and no longer reflected his sentiments.

Copeland, after characterizing newspaper articles on the incident as "silly," said: "It's like ox-tail soup—it comes from a long way back." He added that the whole incident is "now all over."

In stating his November letter no longer reflected his present sentiment, Johnson said "What is past is past—forget it." The past is a closed book, he said, except as it may prevent mistakes in the future.

Johnson was enthusiastic in describing the new organization of his Bureau of Air Commerce, calling it a "happy bureau" and saying it presaged a "new day in aviation."

The bureau was reorganized early this month, when its former director, Eugene Vidal, resigned, to be succeeded by Fred D. Fagg, jr. Vidal's former assistants, J. Carrol Cone and Rex Martin, have been assigned to European and South American posts, respectively. Fogg's new assistant is Maj. R. W. Schroeder.

The bureau, Johnson said, is working more perfectly than before, and will mean a new, improved relation between the flying public and aviation.

Johnson scouted reports that there was a sharp division between the bureau and airline officials over the Government's program for aids to air navigation.

Johnson agreed with aviation spokesmen that $10,000,000 is needed for Government aids, but said his bureau could spend only half of that in the next fiscal year.

Prison Inquiry Started by Navy

A board of investigation, composed of four Navy officers, is hearing testimony regarding charges of irregularities and immorality at the Navy Prison at Portsmouth, N. H., it was learned at the Navy Department yesterday.

The board was appointed a week ago after Senator Bridges (Republican), New Hampshire, announced he had been informed of irregularities among the 80 prisoners. The Senator said last night he would be unable to attend meetings of the board, being held at Portsmouth, but had turned over to Secretary Swanson material on which he based his statement.

Capt. Alfred W. Brown, head of the navy yard at Portsmouth, is senior member of the board. Others are Capt. Gordon D. Hale, Commander Paul A. Clarke and Commander John J. Brown (recorder).

Electrical Group To Gather Tonight

More than 300 dealers and salesmen from Washington and the nearby suburbs will gather at the Wardman Park Hotel tonight for the spring sales meeting of the General Electric Supply Corporation.

Though the spring sales meeting is held annually by the Specialty Appliance Sales Division, this will be the first time a major sales meeting has been held here by the General Electric Supply Corporation as a whole.

The program will begin at 6:15 p. m. with a "get-together" dinner in the hotel's continental room. At 7:30 a formal meeting will be held in the Wardman Park Theater.

During the evening Warde B. Stringham, head of the corporation's local distributors, will be introduced.

Firemen Aid Their Reunion

Post Staff Photo.

Mrs. Antone R. Bowler and her daughter, Jeanne, 9 months old. Jeanne was left alone when her mother was locked out of their apartment at 1420 Chapin street northwest. But the fire rescue squad solved the problem.

200-Pound Block Of Jade Is Found In Maya Mound

Discovery of the largest piece of jade ever found in the New World was announced yesterday by the Carnegie Institution of Washington. Measuring 16 inches in diameter and weighing nearly 200 pounds, it was taken from an ancient Maya pyramid mound near Guatemala City.

Dr. A. V. Kidder, chief of the institution's archeological staff, began excavating the mound a year ago. The rainy season forced him to suspend digging for a while but work was resumed in January.

His workers examined the stairway running up the face of one of the burial mounds and found that its core was made of adobe. Half way up the stairway and directly in its center was a roundish, waterworn boulder which apparently had been built into the structure.

Not until the boulder was removed and washed was it learned that it was jade.

"We were astounded," Dr. Kidder reported to Washington, "for no piece of jade even remotely approaching this in size has ever been found in America before. Where it has been cut it is a lovely green, with areas of the purest clear green, so highly esteemed by the Mayan."

Increased Baggage Charges Allowed

Increased charges for handling baggage at Union Station for visiting tour parties were approved yesterday by the Public Utilities Commission after a hearing on an application from the Railway Express Co., successor to the old Union Transfer Co.

At present the company delivers a load of 174 pieces or less anywhere in the city proper for $3. Under the new rate schedule the cost of handling 20 or less pieces of baggage will be $3. Loads of more than 20, but less than 174 pieces, under the new rates, will be moved for $5.

False Alarm Stirs Treasury Guards

When a burglar alarm rang in the Treasury Building yesterday, guards and watchmen, fearing an emergency, shut all doors and seized tear-gas guns. Secret Service operatives stood guard.

Curious workers thronged out of their offices into the halls. The alarm rang again.

Upon investigation it was found that an accidental contact with an alarm switch made while furniture was being moved in the cash room had caused the commotion. The doors of the building were then flung open.

Baby Left in Flat Sleeps Unruffled As Others Worry

Nine-month-old Jeanne Bowler slept through all the commotion that swept about the apartment of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Antone R. Bowler, of 1420 Chapin street northwest, yesterday afternoon. But the commotion concerned Jeanne, and was as follows:

Mrs. Bowler was at work at Resettlement Administration. Mrs. Snyder, who helps at the house, was washing. Carrying some of the clothing into the halway of the apartment, the door slammed behind her. The key, she knew, was locked inside. This created the situation of Jeanne being alone in the Bowler apartment. The hour was 2:30 p. m.

At 5:15 p. m. Mrs. Bowler appeared. "I'm locked out; Jeanne is alone inside," said Mrs. Snyder. Mrs. Bowler hastened to another apartment and called the Fire Rescue Squad. A few minutes later firemen crawled up a fire escape to enter the apartment. As the firemen entered the apartment Pharol Slack, Mrs. Bowler's sister, appeared. She had a key.

Firm in Fire Reopens.

The real estate firm of Maury & Mohler, Inc., will resume business at 1223 Connecticut avenue today, it was announced last night. Offices of the firm were badly damaged by water in the fire at that place last Sunday night.

Hotel Workers 'Hounded' Her, Waitress Says

NLRB Told of Petition to Transfer Mrs. Norman, Union Official.

Challenging other waitresses present to contradict her statements, Mrs. Ira Lebert, employe of the Willard Coffee Shop, charged she was "hounded to death" by coworkers for her signature to a petition, in testimony before the National Labor Relations Board yesterday afternoon.

The petition, which was circulated among the women, called for the transfer of Mrs. Mabel Norman, former waitress at the Willard Coffee Shop. Mrs. Norman was shop steward for Local 781, of the Hotel and Restaurant Workers Alliance. Her discharge and that of Garland P. Webb, waiter, contributed toward the recent sit-down strike.

Stating that Mrs. Norman was an efficient employe . . . "I'd like to be half as good as she" . . . Mrs. Lebert flatly stated there was no friction in the coffee shop until after Mrs. Norman testified in a previous labor board hearing.

Mrs. Lebert, who was the most colorful witness to testify yesterday, was preceded on the stand by Edna Watkins and Lottie Newman, waitresses, and Helen Baker, cashier. These three charged Mrs. Norman was "bossy" and that her carrying reports of activities and conversations of the waitresses back to union headquarters created an air of suspicion.

Hearings in the case are being held by the board on the complaint that Mrs. Norman's testimony in a previous labor board hearing was reason for her discharge. She had testified in the case of Grim, a union waiter, discharged on charges of incompetency.

Edwin S. Smith and Joseph Blum conducted the hearing for the board. Joseph W. Wyatt represented the Willard Hotel.

Seminary Gives Religious Play

Girls of the Immaculata Seminary last night presented "The Living Way of the Cross" as an introduction to Holy Week. The cast reproduced in detail the 14 stations of the Way of the Cross.

Miss Patricia Lennon portrayed Christ, and Miss Anne Stohlman presented the Virgin Mary. Miss Patricia Slattery appeared as St. John, with Miss Elizabeth Crowley as "Mary Magdalen." A verse from the "Stabat Mater" was played by Miss Julie Quinones after each "station."

In part the supporting cast was made up as follows: "Pilate," Agnes Lynch; "Veronica," Margarita Colon; "Cal Claudia Procula" (Pilate's wife), Ernestine Garofalo; "Simon of Cyrene," Ruth Ramsdell; "Joseph of Armathea," Jean Smith; "Nicodemus," Virginia Feeney; page, Anais Harding; Soldiers Patricia Nugent, Dorothy Mansfield and Rose Quinones; Roman guards, Catherine Gaeglar and Alice McLeod; priests, Caroline Kline, Marie Murphy and Marion Dougherty, holy women, Betty McKenna, Mary Frances O'Connor and Elsie Dowd.

The Post Radio Time-Table

Tuesday, March 16. Washington. Eastern Standard Time.

	WRC 316M—950KC	WMAL 476M—630KC	WOL 229M—1,310KC	WJSV 206M—1,460KC	
6:30	Gordon	.....	.....	Elder Michaux	6:30
6:45	Hittenmark	.....	.....	" "	6:45
7:00	" "	Today's Prelude	Art Brown	Sun Dial	7:00
7:15	" "	" "	" "	" "	7:15
7:30	" "	" "	News	" "	7:30
7:45	" "	Wake Up Club ...	Art Brown	" "	7:45
8:00	News	Morning Devotions	" "	" "	8:00
8:15	Gordon	Dick Leibert	" "	" "	8:15
8:30	Hittenmark	Cheerio	" "	" "	8:30
8:45	" "	"	" "	" "	8:45
9:00	" "	News	" "	" "	9:00
9:15	Old Timer	Chicago Breakfast	Kay and Buddy ..	Jean Abbey ...	9:15
9:30	Myriad Voices	Club Music		R. Maxwell ...	9:30
9:45	" " ...	Capt. Tim Healy	News; Music	Betty Hudson..	9:45
10:00	Mrs. Wiggs	News	Police Flashes ...	Betty and Bob.	10:00
10:15	Other Wife	Ma Perkins	Music	Mod. Cinderella	10:15
10:30	Just Plain Bill ..	Mountain Man ..	Marriage Clinic ..	Church Hymns	10:30
10:45	Today's Children	Morning Melodies	Singing Strings ..	John K. Watkins	10:45
11:00	David Harum ..	The O'Neills	Music	Milky Way	11:00
11:15	Backstage Wife.	Personal Column	Freudberg's Orch.	Ray Noble Or.	11:15
11:30	Mystery Chef ..	Vic and Sade ..	Music	The Big Sister.	11:30
11:45	The Wife Saver .	Edward MacHugh	"	Home Exchange	11:45

AFTERNOON PROGRAMS.

12:00	News, Music ..	Honeyboy, Sas'fras	Gracey's Orch. ..	The Gumps	12:00
12:15	Mary Marlin ...	Listening Post ..	News; Music	Between B'kends	12:15
12:30	Gene Arnold....	National Farm	Music	Helen Trent ..	12:30
12:45	Sen. O'Mahoney	and Home	Church of the Air	R.Man's Darling	12:45
1:00	Doring Sisters .	" "	Dick Stabile's ..	Jack and Boys	1:00
1:15	D. Harding's Wife	" "	Orchestra	Robert Horton	1:15
1:30	Concert Hall ...	Love and Learn ..	Music	Rhythms	1:30
1:45	Hello Peggy	Tune Twisters ..	"	Real Life Stories	1:45
2:00	Dr. Maddy's	Chick Webb	Tony Wakeman	Minstrel	2:00
2:15	Band Lessons	Orchestra	Arthur Wright ..	American	2:15
2:30	Mary Mason ...	Music Guild	Tony Wakeman	School of Air	2:30
2:45	" " ...	" "	" " ...	Myrt and Marge	2:45
3:00	P. Young's Family	U. S. Marine Band	" " .	Jamboree	3:00
3:15	Ma Perkins	" " "	Garden Club	" " .	3:15
3:30	Vic and Sade ..	" " "	Kaye's Orch	Cincinnati	3:30
3:45	The O'Neills ...	Have You Heard?.	" "	Symphony	3:45
4:00	Women's Clubs..	Northwestern	Ed Fitzgerald	Orchestra	4:00
4:15	Men of the West	Musical	and Company	" "	4:15
4:30	Follow the Moon	Dog Heroes	Tony Wakeman ..	Song and	4:30
4:45	Guiding Light ..	News	" "	Swing	4:45
5:00	Sundown Revue..	Your Health	Music	Rhythms	5:00
5:15	Tom Mix	" "	Johnson Family ..	Science Service.	5:15
5:30	Jack Armstrong.	Singing Lady ...	Kirkp'ck. Turner	Robert Horton.	5:30
5:45	Orphan Annie ..	Safety Program	Music	Terry and Ted ..	5:45

EVENING PROGRAMS.

6:00	Dinner Dance ..	Science in News .	Tony Wakeman ..	Del Casino	6:00
6:15	" " ..	Dinner Club	En Dinant	Arch McDonald	6:15
6:30	" " ...	" "	News; Music	News; Music..	6:30
6:45	" " ...	Lowell Thomas ..	Light's Orch.	Kitty Kelly ..	6:45
7:00	Amos 'n' Andy .	Easy Aces	Music	Poetic Melodies	7:00
7:15	Vocal Varieties .	Jesters	Editorial	Mus. Moments	7:15
7:30	H. W. Van Loon	Radio Joe	Zarin's Orch	Alex. Woollcott.	7:30
7:45	Question Mark ..	" "	Music	Boake Carter ..	7:45
8:00	Russ Morgan's.	Dude Ranch	Five Star Final ..	Hammerstein	8:00
8:15	Orchestra	" "	Christian League.	Music Hall	8:15
8:30	Lady Esther	Welcome Valley .	Civil Liberties ..	Al Jolson	8:30
8:45	Serenade	" " .	Music	" "	8:45
9:00	Sidewalk	Ben Bernie	Mariani's Orch..	Watch the	9:00
9:15	Interviews	" "	Senator Holt ...	Fun Go By	9:15
9:30	Fred Astaire ...	Husbands and	Music	Jack Oakie's	9:30
9:45	" " ...	Wives	Congress Today.	College	9:45
10:00	" " ...	Tales of Opera..	Sinfonietta	" " "	10:00
10:15	" " ...	POSTILION	"	" " "	10:15
10:30	Jimmy Fidler ..	American Legion.	Poe's Tales	Americana ...	10:30
10:45	Carol Weymann	" " .	" "	" ...	10:45
11:00	News; Sports .	News; Music ...	Night Skies	News	11:00
11:15	News	Slumber Hour ..	String Ensemble.	Tommy Dorsey	11:15
11:30	Midnight Frolic .	" " ..	F. Martin's	George Olsen's	11:30
11:45	" " .	" " ..	Orchestra	Orchestra	11:45
12:00	Phil Okman's	Night Watchman..	H. Heidt's	Sam Robbins	12:00
12:15	Orchestra	" " .	Orchestra	Orchestra	12:15
12:30	Grif Williams	" " .	Swing Concert ..	McGrew's Orch	12:30
12:45	Orchestra	(Until 2:00 a. m.)	" " ..	Witching Hour.	12:45
1:00	Sign-off	.....	(To 1:30 a. m.).	Sign Off	1:00

On the Air Today

A new variety program comes to the WJSV schedule this afternoon—called "Will Wright, Vice President." It always has seemed to me that daytime variety shows are a little stuffy and I am whole-heartedly behind Will Wright in his new enterprise. Certainly the afternoon listener is in the mood for a good show even without knowing what it will all be about.

The program is written, directed and played by Wright. Supporting will be an orchestra under the direction of Leith Stevens. The show will be in four parts, each in charge of "Vice President" Wright. The theme is "Time On My Hands," which every vice president will have plenty of.

First will be Vice President Wright presenting the "What Do You Know About That" department, followed by the "Impertinent Questions," the "I See By the Papers" and "Other People's Business" departments.

Will Wright is widely known to West Coast audiences for his character roles. He came East with Al Pearce and currently announces Pearce's "Watch the Fun Go By" and plays heavy roles in "Gang Busters."

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Other features today:

WPA Manhattan Concert Band—Makes debut in new transcribed series from WJSV, at 2.

Vincente del Garza—Young Monterey tenor takes bow at WJSV, at 6:30, singing romantic songs of Mexico, Spain and the U. S. WJSV considers Senor del Garza a real find.

Al Jolson—Presents a dramatization of "The Valiant," WJSV, at 8:30. "This Year's Kisses" is featured musical number.

Sheila Barrett—Guests with Ben Bernie, WMAL, at 9.

World Premiere—Charley Butterworth and his own Shakespearean stock company, and introduction of the threatened Astaire-Green-Butterworth vocal trio, WRC, 9:30.

Representative Case—On "The Unknown Soldier Amendment," WOL, at 9:45.

"A Call to Arms!"—Discussion of possibilities of decreasing cancer mortality through education, WMAL, at 10:30. Including Charl Ormond Williams, from Washington.

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Here and there—This is "Jack Benny Day" in Waukegan, Ill., town of the comedian's birth. The entire company, with Mary Livingstone, Kenny Baker, Don Wilson and others are honor guests with Mayor Talcott, an old school chum of Jack's, in charge of speech-making at City Hall. The day is climaxed with a chicken dinner in the evening . . . Jessica Dragonette has been named the best dressed woman in radio by the Fashion Academy. She in turn has offered a $500 prize for the best design submitted for an "Alice Blue Gown." Dragonette is very partial to this shade of blue. She uses it as "mood" costuming.

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Opera lovers throughout the country will have a further opportunity to hear operatic masterpieces despite the conclusion of the regular New York season. Beginning April 3, the Saturday afternoon performances of the Metropolitan Opera Association's annual spring engagement at the Boston Opera House will be broadcast by N. B. C. It will be "Das Rheingold," to be followed April 10 by "Cavalleria Rusticana."

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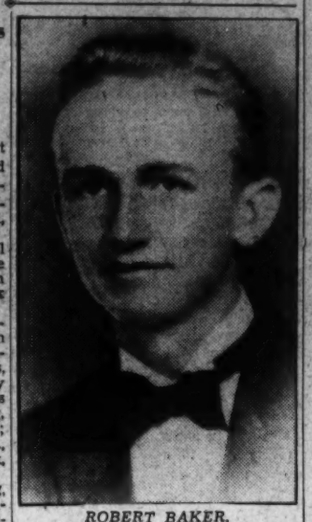
Arch McDonald reports his face is slightly red—having run the wheel off a Florida rented car, missed a ball game and his broadcast to Washington listeners all in one messy afternoon. Arch, now in Orlando with the ball club, rented the car to go to a Nationals game in a nearby town, to get material for the broadcast. He landed in a ditch.

J. H. H.

District Youth Is Chosen Editor Of U. of Md. Student Weekly

Robert Baker to Head News Staff of Diamondback During Next Year.



ROBERT BAKER.

Robert Baker, of 1900 Lamont street northwest, has been selected as next year's editor of The Diamondback, student weekly newspaper at the University of Maryland, it was announced yesterday.

A graduate of Central High School here, Baker will be a senior at the university next year. He has been on the staff of The Diamondback for three years.

Other staff appointments announced yesterday were Jameson McWilliams, Indianhead, Md., business manager; Mary Mortha Heaps, Cardiff, Md., women's editor; Larry Hoover, Takoma Park, Md., sports editor; Jerry Hardy, Silver Spring, Md.; Helen Reindollar, Baltimore; Peggy Maslin, Port Chester, N. Y., and Eileen Kellerman, College Park, associate editors.

Malcolm Owens, Federalsburg, Md., was named circulation manager; Harold Smith, Baltimore, assistant circulation manager, and Robert Boyd, 6100 Fourteenth street northwest, national advertising manager.

The new staff will be installed formally at the annual publications banquet, May 7, at Indian Spring Country Club.

Navy Is Assured Adequate Steel To Build Ships

By the Associated Press.

The Navy Department announced yesterday it had been assured sufficient steel for its warship building and immediately would start six destroyers and three submarines which had been delayed by lack of material.

Bids for approximately 7,000,000 pounds of steel, about one-third of the total required, were awarded yesterday. Officials said bids for the remainder had been received and would be awarded tomorrow or Thursday.

On Capitol Hill the Senate passed the $512,847,808 Navy appropriation bill for the year beginning July 1.

The vote on the bill, which went through without major amendments, was 64 to 11. A few minor changes must be approved by the House before the measure goes to the White House.

Just before passage, the Senate rejected without a record vote a proposal by Senator Bone (Democrat), Washington, to require construction of all warships in navy yards.

In the final debate, Senator Pope (Democrat), Idaho, proposed an international conference on naval arms limitations.

Earlier, Senator Frazier (Democrat), North Dakota, told the Senate the United States was spending more for warships since signing the Kellogg Pact than ever before.

"It would seem," Frazier said, "we are almost in a race with the British."

D.C. to Get Sum Of $5,000,000, Thomas Asserts

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carried in the appropriation for the current year, $5,000,000, and not the amount recommended by the Jacobs committee."

Senator Thomas said he was convinced that many departments of the District Government were necessarily more expensive than those in a manufacturing city, and added he thinks the Federal Government should bear the additional costs.

The sub-committee chairman said he did not believe his committee would go above $5,000,000. "I suggest," he said, "to the people of the District and the newspapers that they should accept the $5,000,000 amount in the hope that a better formula (than the Jacobs recommendation) be developed."

"If some plan is devised for development and study of a better formula in the next 12 months and if it can justify a better plan, I can assure you you will have an open committee of the House and Senate," Thomas declared.

Commissioners Hazen and Allen attended the Mayflower Hotel dinner. Engineer Commissioner Col. Dan I. Sultan was another honor guest. Many members of both Houses of Congress attended and made addresses.

Chairman William H. King, of the Senate District Committee, praised the commissionerships of Hazen and Allen and described the city's progress from the time he first came to Congress.

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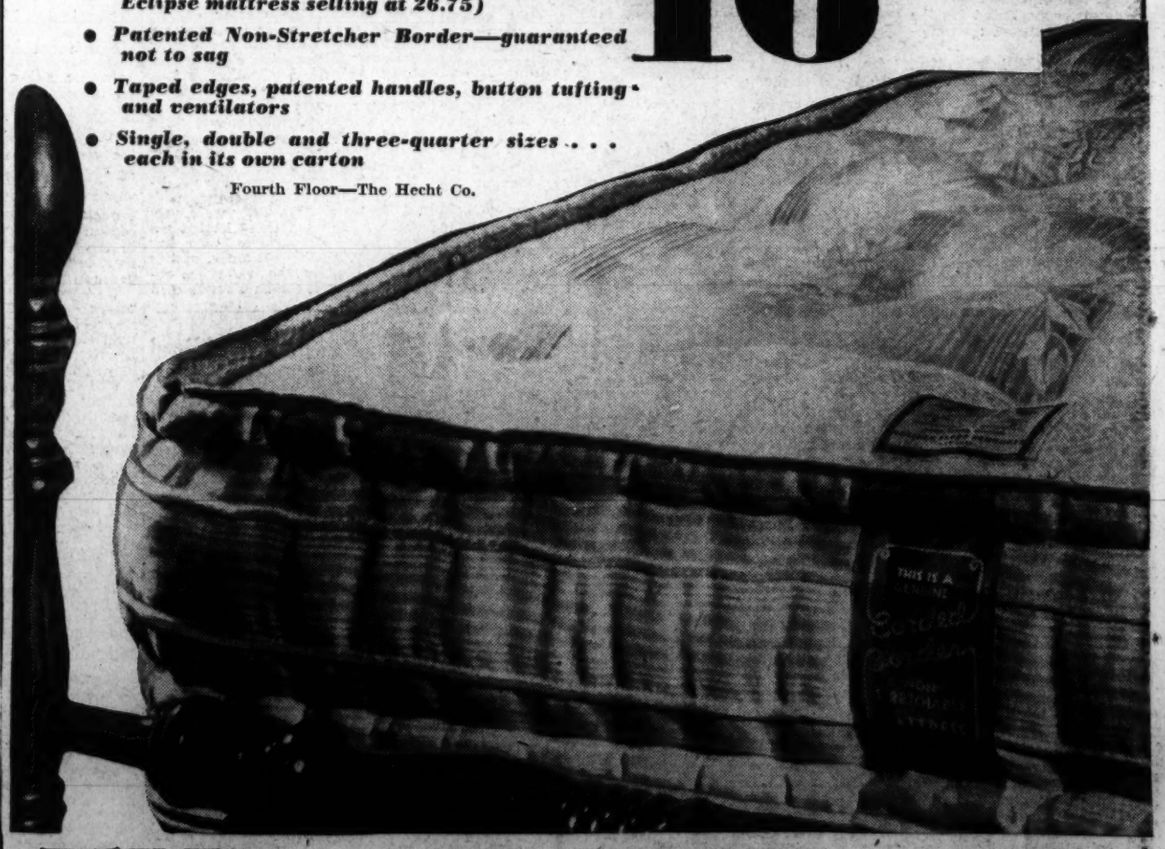

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Bob Burns Says

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By Bob Burns.

No matter where you live, I suppose you have advantages that people don't have in other places, but there's one advantage the country kids have over their city cousins and that is—they get more of a Sunday School education. I remember Mama used to get up early Sunday morning and get all of her chores done so she could get us kids off to Sunday School. No matter how bad the weather was or how far we had to go, she always saw that we got there.

Not long ago, I was havin' a late breakfast with a city family and the lady got all primped up to go to church. I was tellin' 'em about how Mama used to take us kids to church with her and the lady thought a while and then she says "Well, you know that's an idea—I think maybe I'll take one of my children with me, today." Then she says, "which one do you think would go best with this dress?"

The Federal Diary

Reg. U. S. Patent Office

By Scott Hart.

'Unfit'

"Anguish" and "suffering" have been created among hundreds of Social Security Board employes in Baltimore as result of their being declared physically unfit by the examining physician at the Marine Park Hospital. The label, "unfit," has been tagged, to date, on one out of five persons of the board who have come up for examiantion. And the S. S. B. Union thinks there's something fishy about the whole business and has requested the Civil Service Commission to investigate.

Behind the cut and dried announcements of the difficulty, the union spokesmen have this to say: Many reputable physicians in Baltimore have given statements that the employes tagged as "unfit" are in good physical condition. . . . Many physicians, they argue, have frankly criticized the examining methods used "and the wholly unusual interpretation of symptoms." . . . Elevated blood pressure readings as low as 140, albumen traces, peculiar sounds from the heart region "have been made bugaboos and used as proof of serious illness," the union alleges.

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"Reputable physicians state that superficial symtpoms such as these may only indicate excitement (in the first case) food eaten on the day previous (in the second case) and ear trouble on the physicians part (in the third)." Other reasons assigned for the placing of an "unfit" tag have been athlete's foot, ringworm, moderately flat feet and the like.

Now, points out the union, many employes have given up positions of security in all parts of the country with expectation of receiving from the Social Security Board's examiner examinations no different from those given to other departments of the Government. Instead, they have received, according to the complaint, examinations similar to those given applicants for Coast Guard jobs. Out of it all has come "anguish," and "suffering" and the promise of an investigation.

A. J. Novak, of the Federal Trade Commission, came in to say that a new A. F. G. E. lodge has been organized in the F. T. C. with 30 members to start with. Novak is the temporary president; Anna Morton is secretary, and Lucille Bruneau, treasurer . . . The new lodge will meet at 8 o'clock Thursday night in the hearing room, F. T. C. Building, to effect a permanent organization.

The Government reports: Insect pests in the Southeast and in parts of the East are springing to life earlier than usual because of the abnormally warm weather of the winter . . . The most outstanding insect activity is an outbreak of the green bug, a wheat pest, centering in Georgia . . . Agriculture's scientists also report appearance of the monarch butterfly in Florida, several weeks ahead of schedule . . . The National Park Service out in the Boulder Dam recreational area is digging into early Pueblo Indian ruins approximately 1,000 years old . . . Interesting relics are appearing in the steam shovels . . . The Biological Survey reports the waterfowl depression on the mend . . . A recently completed midwinter inventory shows for the second consecutive year that more wild geese and ducks wintered in the United States than in the previous year . . . Until last year, the depletion of the waterfowl supply had continued for many years . . .

The first meeting of the F. C. A. class in public speaking will be held at 7:30 this evening in room 600 . . . Members of the F. C. A. social committee are still looking for novel suggestions to heighten the fun they plan for the dance scheduled for the evening of April 24 at the Raleigh Hotel . . . It will be the last social feature of the Farm Credit Club's year.

The Government gives its educational radio programs a pat on the back in announcement that the educational radio project has received a quarter million letters from listeners all over the country, Canada and several foreign lands . . . James D. Strong, project manager, figures that the half-million mark in responses will be reached within 60 days . . . Right now five series of programs are being produced weekly over coast-to-coast networks . . . These are "Let Freedom Ring," "Treasures Next Door," "The World Is Yours," "Education in the News" and "Have You Heard?" . . . Ten thousand responses are being analyzed to group the ages, occupations and localities of the listening audiences and to learn the average number of persons listening to the programs over each radio set and whether the programs are discussed afterward.

Drill Is Won By Roosevelt High School

Band Makes It Clean Sweep by Outplaying Rivals.

6,000 Watch Colorful Pageantry of Annual Competition.

Roosevelt High School won both contests held yesterday at the Central High School stadium. The Second Battalion of the Fifth Regiment, commanded by Maj. Sidney Rosendorf, took first place after three and a half hours of the annual drill competition, in which 12 battalions from 6 schools participated.

The First Battalion of the Fourth Regiment (Western High School), under the command of Maj. Robert Richmond, won second place. Woodrow Wilson High School's First Battalion, headed by Maj. Webster Capps, was third.

In the band contest, Roosevelt led again, with McKinley and Western second and third, respectively. Gold medals, cups and flags will be awarded to the winners Thursday, following the regimental competition. Presentations will be made by Dr. Harvey A. Smith, assistant superintendent of the District schools.

Capt. Lawrence Richardson was in charge of the winning band. Capt. Robert W. McArthur headed the Second Regiment (McKinley) Band that was second in the contest, and Capt. Frederick Waite led the Fourth Regiment (Western) Band that ranked third.

6,000 in Crowd.

A crowd estimated at 6,000 looked on as battalion after battalion passed in review before the grandstand.

Capt. James Regan, jr., and Lieut. Forrest Caraway were judges of parading units. Col. Wallace M. Craigie, professor of military science and tactics, Washington High School Cadet Corps, was in charge of the event.

The band contest, which was carried on simultaneously with the battalion competition, was judged by William F. Santelmann, second leader of the U. S. Marine Band, J. M. Thurmond, band master in charge of the Navy School of Music, and Carl Hubner, assistant leader of the U. S. Army Band.

From the first boom of the drum when Central High School's band marched out on the field to start the contest, until the last regiment from McKinley had marched off at the end, the crowd was tense. Mothers, fathers, and schoolmates watched and waited for familiar faces to swing by in military parade. Row on row of cadets in dark blue uniforms, with white or dark belts—depending on whether they were officers or privates—marched down the field with a determination to put their best into this contest, and to do their bit toward winning it.

A Colorful Affair.

Officers' swords gleamed in the sunlight. Red stripes on the trousers of drum majors, gol braid on shoulders of lieutenants and captains and majors, and lighter blue trousers on "commissioned men" added to the color of the pageant.

The bands marched, too. Following close on the heels of each band major, who, in each case, tried to outdo the other in twirling his baton, band corps came down the field in orderly array each time a battalion paraded. Capt. Lawrence Richardson was in charge of the winning band. Capt. Robert W. McArthur headed the Second Regiment (McKinley) band that came in for second place, and Capt. Frederick Waite led the Fourth Regiment (Western) band that ranked third. Almost 3,000 students participated in both events.

Raid Angle in Fire Outlined Clearly

In describing a fire at 1223 Connecticut avenue northwest in The Post yesterday, it was stated the top floor of the building recently was raided by police in search of gamblers.

A lower floor of this building is used as an annex by Emile Beauvais, beautician, whose main establishment is next door at 1221 Connecticut avenue and to which the annex is separated by a fire door.

The fire was confined to 1223 Connecticut avenue. Mr. Beauvais' apartment is located on the top floor of his main establishment at 1221 Connecticut avenue.

While believing there should be no confusion in the minds of the readers, The Post is publishing this explanation of the setup to clear the point that there was no connection between the fact that the top floor of 1223 Connecticut avenue was raided February 5 for gaming and that a lower floor housed an annex to Mr. Beauvais' beauty establishment.

First Wife Given $25,000 in Balm

A jury in District Court yesterday awarded Mrs. Rose Russo, 1013 Thirty-fifth place northwest, a verdict for $25,000 against Mrs. Vita Russo, second wife of John Russo, who allegedly alienated Russo's affections from Mrs. Rose Russo.

Mrs. Rose Russo said she had been married to Russo for 18 years when the second Mrs. Russo practiced "her wiles, blandishments, influences, and attentions" with a resultant separation and divorce.

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Telling of Roosevelt High's Victories in Battalion Drill and Band Competition

Post Staff Photos.

Roosevelt High yesterday won the battalion drill and band competition of the High School Cadet Corps. Across the top—First Lieut. Foster, of Western High, with the colors; Sylvia Abramson, a Roosevelt girl who cheered for Roosevelt; part of the winning Roosevelt battalion. Lower, the triumphant Roosevelt Band.

Juvenile Court Fails to Receive Bar Approval

Minority Report Favors House Measure; Lunacy Bill Opposed.

Creation of a District Juvenile Court, though supported in principle, failed last night to gain the approval of the District Bar Association.

Defeat came when the legislative committee of the association reported that the pending House bill which would create such a court placed too much authority in a single judge, and provided inadequate machinery for appeal.

A minority committee report on the bill asserted that 28 States had established identical or similar courts.

A House bill which would take lunacy cases from open court and bring them before a closed commission composed of three doctors and one lawyer was opposed after short debate.

Indicting the bill as "vicious," Thomas E. Rhodes, reporting for the minority of the legislative committee, declared that persons allegedly insane should not be deprived of the benefits of a jury trial.

On resolution offered also by James R. Kirkland, acting chairman of the legislative committee, a House bill which would raise the limit on petit larceny and similar offenses from $35 to $75 was approved.

Resolutions were adopted approving House bills which would amend the gambling law; raise the age of consent to 16 and 18 for men and women, respectively; amend the weights and measures law to require proper labeling of coal sold in small packages; include surgical ligatures and sutures in the provisions of law relating to the sale of viruses and serums, and limit the interest in small loans to 2 per cent per month.

Architects Take Plea to Roosevelt

Those who oppose the site and design of the Thomas Jefferson offices are at 1513 Thirtieth street. Memorial, which is to be erected on the south side of the Tidal Basin, yesterday took their case to President Roosevelt.

The President's attention was called to "the unfortunate plans for the proposed memorial," in the hope your influence will be used to prevent the serious mistake if it were allowed to go ahead," by the League for Progress in Architecture, whose

1-Minute Verdict Acquits D.C. Man Of Murder Charge

In a one-minute deliberation a jury in District Court yesterday exonerated Leroy Leggett, colored, of first-degree murder in connection with the fatal stabbing of J. C. Moyes, also colored, last April.

The trial, before Justice James M. Proctor, took all day, but the jury had hardly left the courtroom to deliberate when it was announced a unanimous agreement had been reached. The jurors said they believed Leggett's story that he had acted in self-defense when he stabbed Moyes.

Through Defense Attorneys Robert I. Miller and Wesley McDonald, secretary to Senator Robert Reynolds, he contended he had been seriously stabbed himself before he drew a knife and protected himself. The jury's one-minute verdict in a first-degree murder case is believed the first of its kind in the District.

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Citizens Favor Sanitation Plan For Potomac

The Georgetown Citizens Association last night adopted a resolution indorsing the Washington Board of Trade's program to solve the Potomac population problem.

Other resolutions adopted by the association backed the Public Utilities Commission's decision not to change routing of Burleith buses and indorsed activities of the Washington Taxpayers League.

North Capitol Citizens

In a plea for help in the form of money and old clothes, Col. William O. Tufts, of the Good-Will Industries, speaking before the North Capitol Citizens Association, last night declared that his organization, begun as an adventure, is now doing much good for "disabled" people of Washington.

Five new members were inducted into the association. They are Michael Carnot, Oswald Connel, Richard S. Grace, I. Matthews, and Annie Baumgarten.

Street Widenings

A resolution urging that Tenth, Eleventh and Twelfth streets be widened from New York to Rhode Island avenues northwest was adopted last night by the Mid-City Citizens Association, in session at the Thompson School.

The group appointed a special committee to seek more frequent tests for color blindness among District automobile drivers. Members of the committee were Nathaniel M. Lubor, William Jaeger and Dr. Flora Taylor.

Check Forgery Suspect Returned From Chicago

Charged with forging the name of his employer, Representative W. G. Andrews, of New York, to two checks totaling more than $100, James Ray Butler, 26, colored, of Chicago, was returned to Washington yesterday after his arrest there.

Police said Butler was a houseman for Andrews at his residence, 1911 F street northwest.

Young Bandit Confesses Guilt In 12 Robberies

Richard Carl Parks, 19-year-old "red-haired" bandit yesterday in District Court, pleaded guilty to 12 separate robbery charges and six housebreaking indictments.

Previously, James Phelps, 18, a member of the Parks gang, had entered a plea of guilty to a slightly lesser number of crimes. The third member, Silvo J. Daneri, 23, has maintained his innocence and will be tried after Easter.

Mrs. Richard Morley, mother of Parks, collapsed after he had been remanded to jail by Justice Peyton Gordon. She was carried to the matron's room of District Court, where restoratives were given her.

It was Mrs. Morley who gave police their first "break" in the solution of the numerous holdups and robberies attributed to the three, when she notified police she was worried about her son. When he was arrested he was quickly identified as the leader of the "red-haired bandit gang."

Parks and Phelps will be sentenced later.

Offer of $5,000 Made in Drive For Symphony

The drive to raise a $110,000 sustaining fund for the Natoinal Symphony Orchestra will be nearer by $5,000 to its goal at Wednesday noon's final luncheon at the Hamilton Hotel—if by that time the sum is matched by "new gifts" from other donors or by increased subscriptions from contributors of previous years.

The anonymous contribution was offered at National Symphony headquarters yesterday on the condition that an additional $5,000 to match it be brought in between that time and the campaign's deadline, Wednesday noon. Already $64,000 has been collected by the 700 workers.

Meanwhile, two comments on the National Symphony Orchestra's effectiveness in representing the Capital musically came from J. Fulmer Bright, Mayor of Richmond, and Richard Saunders, assistant to the Secretary of Labor.

"Richmond will always be proud to welcome you whenever the opportunity presents," Mayor Bright said in a letter to Hans Kindler, conductor of the National Symphony. "I extend to you a cordial invitation to honor us when you can."

"A community's spiritual growth is measured in direct proportion to the degree of support and patronage that the community gives to the development of the liberal arts; music, fine musci, has the most universal appeal of them all," Saunders said.

Fidelity to Pay 24 Hours After Court Approval

FHLB Examiner Promises Speedy Payment to 18,000 Depositors.

Payments to 18,000 depositors in the closed Fidelity Building & Loan Association will begin 24 hours after the courts approve its transformation in the new First Federal Savings & Loan of Washington, it was learned yesterday.

John W. Ballard, examiner for the Home Loan Bank Board, which will supervise the new bank, made this promise yesterday, as he put extra accountants to work to bring the books of Fidelity up to date. Court approval is expected within 60 days.

Ballard said he was anxious and prepared to have the new bank ready for business the day after court approval is obtained for a swap of Fidelity stock for First Savings & Loan stock on a basis of 15 per cent deduction of value.

Open in Day.

"If the court approves the plan," Ballard said, "the books will be up to the minute and the new bank can open the day after. Shareholders can obtain cash at that time or they can leave their stock on deposit in the new institution.

"It has been our experience that shareholders in other reorganized banks leave their stock on deposit because the investor knows his money is insured up to $5,000 in the new Federal bank."

Losses of the Fidelity for the first time were made public yesterday, and indications were they would reach $652,000. Most of the assets were impaired slightly, Ballard said, although Fidelity appraisals of its property "held up fairly well."

Losses were confined largely to back taxes paid on foreclosed property, and improvements of foreclosed property, beyond a reasonable valuation of that property, he stated. He added that a few loans were questionable.

In discussing his investigations, Ballard remarked: "I have never had better co-operation in any investigation I entered than from James H. Nolan, the receiver for Fidelity. It was unquestionably the best I ever found."

FHLB, which will take over the closed bank, it is anticipated, without court objection, will not attempt to dictate who will be on the board of directors, a spokesman said. However, FHLB will be final arbiter of who will not be on the board.

7 Policemen Under Fire; Shake-up Due

Brown Studies Report of Inspectors After Lengthy Survey.

Men Will Be Replaced in Precincts 2 and 5, Post Learns.

An investigating board appointed by Maj. Ernest W. Brown, superintendent of police, has found that 20 of the police department's 35 precinct detectives were below standard in efficiency in solving crimes, The Post learned last night.

Maj. Brown is studying possible reorganization of the Detective Bureau as a result of the report which will be presented to him officially today by the board which made the investigation, it was also learned. On the board were Inspectors Maurice Collins, Edward J. Kelly and William E. Holmes.

Inspector Kelly last night told newspapermen in the presence of Maj. Brown that his committee had found the 20 detectives below standard in efficiency and that his committee would report adversely on them today. He stressed the fact that the investigation was made solely on the basis of efficiency.

It was said that a few of the detectives whose efficiency has been found to be very low will be demoted to uniform patrol duty. The others will be placed on probation for six months and then judged on the records. Some will be transferred into other precincts in addition to being placed on proabtion.

Maj. Brown would not comment on the report, saying he had not yet officially received it.

Detective sergeants in three precincts also are being investigated. During the past six months, The Post was told, these men have failed to clear any felony assignments given them.

One detective sergeant, it was said, has not arrested one suspect or recovered a single piece of stolen property over a period of several months, despite the fact he was given at least three felony assignments daily.

The investigative body has conducted th esurvey over the last two months, personally interviewing the precinct plainclothes men and searching the records of the individuals.

Knight Will Head Search in Africa For Unusual Birds

Capt. C. W. R. Knight, noted British photographic explorer, falconer and owner of the golden eagle, one of the rarest birds in captivity, will head an expedition to take pictures of rare birds in South Africa, it was announced here yesterday by Gilbert Grosvenor, president of the National Geographic Society.

Knight, who lectured before the society here two months ago, will leave today for England, his home, to prepare for the trip. In July he will sail from England to Capetown, then go overland to the eastern portion of Cape Good Hope Province.

For about five months the expedition will stay in the field, Capt. Knight said. It will take photographs of unusual birds and small mammals of South Africa.

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Safety Patrol's Work Reduces Traffic Mishaps

Sharp Decrease Is Noted; No Fatalities Reported Here in 2 Weeks.

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way death weapons—heavily loaded trucks.

On Park place northwest—a narrow, traffic laden street, a truck loaded with four tons of sand sped past dangerous intersections while the driver nonchalantly whistled. He didn't bother to look right nor left as the big vehicle was paced at 36 and 38 miles an hour.

Finally Overtaken.

The truck's tires screamed as it swung wide into Fifth street. The driver gave no signal and continued on his way. Unprepared for the quick turn, the patrol car, following close behind, had difficulty in slowing down. At Upshur street, the driver was overtaken.

He insisted his speedometer registered between 20 and 22 miles an hour, and begged Policeman Patton to give him a "chance." He had nothing to say when Patton suggested he might have killed some one if brakes on the heavy vehicle had failed to hold.

For his negligence, the driver will appear in Traffic Court today.

Just before the afternoon rush hour, the patrol car was slowly cruising along Connecticut avenue, en route back to headquarters. A mail truck careened across the white line in the center of the street and started to zig-zag its way through congested traffic.

Blocked by other cars, Patton was unable to overtake the speeding mail truck from Seventeenth to Ninth street. During the chase, the mail driver weaved and cut from one side of the broad street to the other. He was "clocked" at 38 miles an hour. Repeatedly, accidents were averted by narrow margins.

Was Not Thinking.

Said the mail driver when he was finally stopped:

"Give me a break, will you officer? I don't usually drive like that—I just wasn't thinking."

The driver said he was 18 and had a "perfect" traffic record. Another mail carrier occupied the truck with him and the two were talking and laughing during the wild ride.

The youthful driver attempted to blame his carelessness on officials of the City Post Office. He said:

"We are given a certain time to get back to the main office from the branch—and we are bawled out if we don't do it. I guess I was in a hurry to get off from work."

Policeman Patton warned the driver to exercise more care.

"Postal authorities don't want you to travel at such a speed—no matter how much time you have to reach the main office," said Patton. "Did anyone tell you to drive like that?"

"No, sir," responded the driver.

He also will appear in court today.

Diplomatic Car Stopped.

Another truck, laden with brick, passed a red signal light at Sixteenth and Euclid street northwest. The light showed a clear red as the driver approached the intersection. A car traveling crosstown swerved to avoid a collision. Said the offending driver:

"The light turned too quick—I couldn't stop."

This driver was taken to the Tenth Precinct Station and ordered to post collateral.

Foreign diplomats in Washington are immune from arrest for "minor" traffic violations. Here is an example encountered yesterday:

As the patrol car cruised along upper Connecticut avenue northwest an expensive car with a low-figure diplomatic license plate sped past, well into the center of the street. The patrol gave chase. The driver, representative of a foreign country, was told he had violated our speed laws and warned to use caution.

"Thank you, I'll try to keep that in mind," he answered, and drove off.

Another traffic safety story will appear tomorrow—Drive carefully and your name will not appear.

Band Concerts.

Marine Band 3 p. m., Auditorium Marine Barracks.

"The Marines' Hymn."
March, "Punjaub".....Payne
Cornet solo, "Carnival of Venice".....Del Staigers
Musician Robert DeHart.
Selection, "Prince of Pilsen".....Luders
"Fantastic dance" for woodwind instruments.....Paul White
Intermezzo, "The Waiter".....Rohde
"Procession of the Holy Grail" from "Parsifal".....Wagner
Waltz, "Jolly Fellows".....Vollstedt
March, "Will Rogers".....Pryor
Trio for piccolos, "The Three Birds".....Pillvestre
Musicians Clayton Lindsay, Bartley Moor Luis Guzman.
"Sleepers Wake".....Bach
Hymn, "To the Faithful".....Douse (Marine Band)
"The Star-Spangled Banner"

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Alberto Williams "First Concert Overture." Op. 15.
Leopoldo Misues, "Promethee" Poeme symphonique
Georges Biset, "L'Arlesienne." Suite II
(a) Partorale.
(b) Intermezzo.
(c) Menuetto.
(d) Farandole.
Peter Tschaikowsky, "Symphony Pathetique" (Nr. 6), Op. 74.
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States Using Security Funds To Fight Venereal Diseases

New Programs Formulated, Activities Increased All Over Nation; Total U. S. Outlay Yearly Estimated at $10,000,000.

By Gerald G. Gross.

(This article is one in a series to acquaint citizens with the tragic neglect of the venereal disease problem in the District of Columbia).

Encouraged by the U. S. Public Health Service and aided by social security allotments, which are administered by that agency, the States have declared war on syphilis and gonorrhea.

Those which formerly had no venereal disease programs are formulating them. States that puttered with the problem are snapping to attention. Those which have been most aggressive, like Massachusetts and New York, are pursuing the spirochete and the gonococcus more relentlessly than ever.

Dr. R. A. Vonderlehr, assistant surgeon general of the Public Health Service in charge of venereal disease control, yesterday estimated $1,000,000 in social security funds is now in process of expenditure in about three-fourths of the States and the District of Columbia.

With the States and municipalities increasing their appropriations to meet the challenge and private organizations, notably hospitals, joining in the fight, the total annual outlay is believed to approximate $10,000,000.

Free Drugs Furnished.

Maryland, Massachusetts, Vermont and New York are furnishing free drugs for treatment of all classes of syphilis patients, indigent or affluent.

Twenty-five States, the District of Columbia and Alaska are developing new control work under provisions of the social security act. Allotments to the District have resulted in improvement of service at the Health Department Clinic, 512 I street, and the department's serological laboratory, and provided for the opening soon of a new prenatal clinic where syphilitic patients can be treated.

Maryland, Kansas and Texas have established separate divisions of venereal disease control in their health departments. Seven others—Illinois, New Jersey, North Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee and Washington—have added full-time venereal disease control officers to their staffs.

Legislation has been introduced in Congress authorizing a $25,000,000 campaign under the social security act. Funds now available come from the $8,000,000 annual allotment to the various States for general public health work. Under the new proposal, the entire $25,000,000 would be devoted exclusively to venereal diseases.

Oklahoma Report Encouraging.

Oklahoma reports it has made twice as many blood tests and doubled its output of free arsenicals for indigent patients since Surgeon General Thomas Parran's National Conference on Venereal Disease Control last December. Indiana is now furnishing bismuth free for syphilis treatment, as well as the arsenicals.

Even more encouraging, perhaps, is the public's favorable reception of the crusade against the so-called social diseases and increasing signs of their willingness to participate and co-operate.

Public health doctors are lecturing on the subject before co-eds, Sunday school classes and Parent-Teacher groups, and their remarks, instead of being received with horror and indignation, are eliciting intelligent questions which indicate a desire to take part in the abatement drive.

"Free discussion on the issue is of tremendous importance," said Dr. Vonerlehr. "Slowly but surely people are coming to see that this is a public health matter, not a moral problem."

Make Treatment Compulsory.

Seizing upon the advantage presented by this awakening of public consciousness, many public health officers are cracking down on individuals who know they are infected but who refuse treatment.

For instance, Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, president of the Chicago Board of Health, is threatening to exercise a powerful weapon against defiant spreaders of syphilis and gonorrhea. It is merely a piece of cardboard about a foot square. But the promise of tacking it on the offender's door—unless—is proving more effective than threatened police and court action.

Its huge black letters on a bright red background, the sign says "Syphilis, Keep Out." In smaller letters the reader is informed that none but occupants of the dwelling may enter and the infected person inside is not allowed to depart. Also that removal or defacement of the placard is punishable by a $200 fine or six months in jail.

To date Dr. Bundesen has not been compelled to post a single one. Merely the threat of its use does the work. No one wants a "syphilis" sign on his door. The health officer is perfectly within his rights in keeping the poster as an ace in the hole, or even displaying it if the case warrants, since syphilis is a contagious disease and therefore a public menace.

Washington Rate High.

Fresh figures on the number of new cases of syphilis and gonorrhea reported throughout the United States were announced yesterday by the Public Health Service. They are for the month of January. They show:

That 25,459 cases of syphilis and 15,012 of gonorrhea were reported during the month, with six States unheard from and several others sending in incomplete returns.

That the syphilis case rate per 10,000 was 2.66 in the District, compared to the national average of 2.12. For gonorrhea, 2.93, compared to a State average of 1.25 Furthermore, the District cases included only those reported to the local health department by its social hygiene clinic. New infections discovered by hospital clinics and private physicians in Washington are not figured in this comparison with the States, whose reports are all-inclusive.

Beginning with the next article, medical specialists of Washington will tell in their own words how syphilis leads to other fatal and disabling diseases.

Vital Statistics

Births.

Walter and Grace Weber, twin girls.
Maurice and Estelle Kinsbergen, boy.
Richard and Virginia Sanderson, girl.
Charles and Catherine Evans, boy.
John and Myrtle Donaldson, boy.
Alexander and Lucille Callen, boy.
Joseph and Inez Wimes, girl.
Pinkney and Lizzie Chambers, girl.
George and Bessie Mitchell, girl.
John and Mabel Monroe, boy.
Joseph and Rita Allen, girl.
Richard and Queen Keels, girl.
Wilbur and Fannie Givens, girl.

Licensed to Marry.

Alton Francis Blake, 49, 2100 Eye street northwest, and Gertrude E. Britton, 39, same address. The Rev. J. Raymond Mills.

Abraham Y. Cowen, 41, 3500 Fourteenth street northwest, and Else Strauss, 28, New York City. Judge Robert E. Mattingly.

Windsor C. Coggins, 26, Scranton, Pa., and Celeste Hudgins, 24, Keystone apartments. The Rev. F. B. Harris.

Norman Harold Evans, 29, 3838 Garrison street northwest, and Clare Natalie McGarry, 23, 3718 Harrison street northwest. The Rev. Thomas G. Smyth.

John Clark Fannin, 24, 1324 Sixteenth street northwest, and Juanita Ferrell, 19, 2437 Fifteenth street northwest. The Rev. Bernard Braskamp.

Henry Graham, 23, 140 Pierce street nothwest, and Flossie Currie, 25, 642 Callan street northeast. The Rev. Robert Anderson.

Abraham Y. Cowen, 41, 3500 Fourteenth street northwest, and Else Strauss, 28, New York City. Rabbi S. H. Metz.

Wilbur Hunter Fox, 23, 1365 L street southeast, and Florence Esther Lucas, 18, 2642 Nichols avenue southeast. The Rev. J. J. Clark.

Edward Shepherd Wilson, 26, 2373 Champlain street northwest, and Ellen Charlotte Wilson, 21, 80 New York avenue northwest. The Rev. J. M. Gillum.

John William Elliott, 43, Baltimore, Md., and Mary Hazel Smeddy, 23, Marion, N. C. The Rev. J. H. Blakemore.

James Josiah Kidwell, 25, 1739 I street northwest, and Marjorie Elaine Este, 20, 516 Ninth street southeast. The Rev. H. A. Kent.

Oliver Hubert Lettmann, 21, Colmar Manor, Md., and Ethel Violet Schreiber, 21, 2912 Bladensburg road northeast. The Rev. S. H. Kornmann.

Henry N. Weir, 51, New York City, and Katherine Boylan, 53, 1323 Harvard street northwest. Judge Robert E. Mattingly.

Deaths.

Helen Watkins, 70, 3002 Q st. nw.
Thomas Quinn, 73, Georgetown Hospl.
Annie E. Grigsby, 70, 513 Nicholson st. nw.
Marion A. Moffett, 69, 649 Lamont st. nw.
Thomas Maddox, 64, Georgetown Hospl.
Cora Hayes, 63, 17 Seaton pl. ne.
Dillon Perkins, 60, Home for Aged and Infirm.
Charles J. Cavanaugh, 57, 537 2d st. se.
Sarah V. Athey, 57, Georgetown Hospl.
Bertha M. Taylor, 57, Georgetown Hospl.
Ernest Hastings, 56, Gallinger Hospl.
Marie Berkheimer, 56, Sibley Hospl.
James D. Boland, 53, 220 H st. ne.
Bessie G. Ricks, 48, George Washington Hospl.
William H. Davis, 46, 2640 Wis. ave. nw.
Lewis P. Marshall, jr., 45, Walter Reed Gen. Hospl.
Mary A. Lynch, 40, Emergency Hospl.
Anna J. Petty, 38, 1226 N. Capitol st.
Jane M. Clancy, 30, Sibley Hospl.
Irving Every, 17, Casualty Hospl.
Infant Thomas, Gallinger Hospl.
Infant Arnold, Geo. Wash. Hospl.
Infant Edelin, Gallinger Hospl.
Infant Robinson, Geo. Wash. Hospl.
Infant McAninch, Gallinger Hospl.
Howard Gordon, 87, Home for Aged and Infirm.
Mary L. Burke, 59, 404 Rea st. nw.
Joseph Buchanan, 50, Gallinger Hospl.
Adlet Thomas, 38, Gallinger Hospl.
Louise Preston, 25, Gallinger Hospl.
Dorothy Proctor, 6, Freedmen's Hospl.

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Mrs. Grigsby's Funeral Is Set For Tomorrow

Services Will Be Held at Baptist Church for Fraternal Leader.

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie E. Grigsby, a leader in Rebekah Odd Fellowship, who died Sunday, will be held in Fifth Baptist Church at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, followed by private burial.

A native of Prince William County, Va., Mrs. Grigsby was the daughter of the late Richard H. and Mary E. Sorrell. She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lemuel H. Windsor, 513 Nicholson street northwest.

Always active in church affairs, she joined the choir of the First Baptist Church at the age of 12, and continued there until last year, when first she showed signs of failing health.

Mrs. Grigsby was the mother of Rebekah Odd Fellowship in the District, joining Ruth Rebekah Lodge, No. 2, in 1900. She became grand noble of this organization in 1902, and she and several other members of the lodge petitioned the grand lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows to grant them a charter so that they might organize a new lodge in Southwest Washington. In 1912, Miriam Rebekah Lodge was instituted and Mrs. Grigsby became one of its charter members.

On January 12, 1915, the Rebekah Assembly, I. O. O. F., of the District was established and Mrs. Grigsby became its first president. She received from the Patriarchs Militant in 1916 the Decoration of Chivalry.

For many years Mrs. Grigsby served as a member and officer of the home board of the Odd Fellows Home Association.

Surviving are her daughters, Mrs. E. Pearl Windsor, of Washington; Mrs. Mabel E. Geyer, of West Point, Va.; Mrs. E. Emma Rhodes, of Norfolk, and a granddaughter, Jo-Ann Geyer, of West Point. A niece, Miss Mary E. Murray, of Washington, also survives.

Ship Movements

At New York.

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Pastores, from Cristobal.
Queen Mary, from Southampton.
Van Renasselaer, from Paramaribo.

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Scythia, from Liverpool.
Veendam, from Southampton.

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American Traveler, from Liverpool.
Paris, from Havre.

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Exmoor, for Casablanca.

Sailing Tomorrow.
Manhattan, for Cobh.
Queen Mary, for Plymouth.

AUNT HET

By Robert Quillen.

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Coast Guard Tows Crippled Vessel

Norfolk, Va., March 22 (AP).—Its propeller broken, the fishing vessel, Pauline M. Boland was taken in tow off the North Carolina coast this morning by the Coast Guard cutter Modoc.

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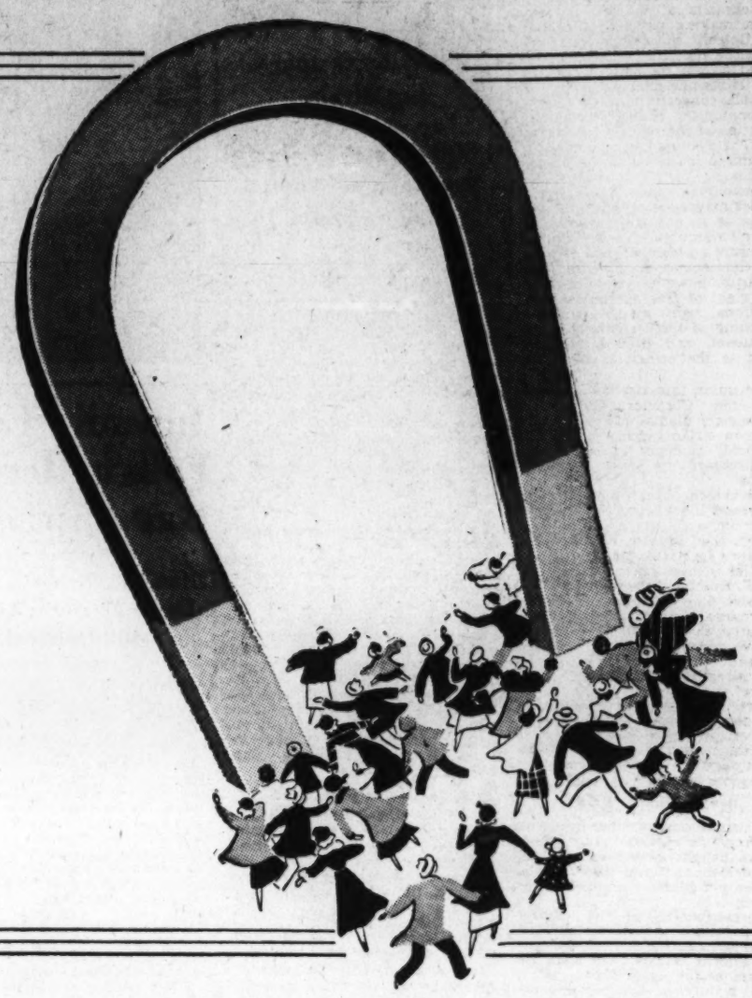

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Detroit Orders Eviction Halt; Permits Rally

Action Ends Tensity as Union Threatens a General Strike.

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tors and Ford interests (which is not considered probable), the number would amount to 400,000.

Thousands of workers in other cities, making parts or accessories for Detroit automobile producers, would be affected, for the stop order would go out to them at the same time it became effective here.

Traffic congestion was given as the reason for the council's unanimous rejection of the request for the permit. The meeting has been called for 5 p. m., in the heart of the business district.

Councilman John C. Lodge, a former mayor, describing the application as an outrage, declared that "it isn't a request, it's a demand, and I am sure no member of the council will countenance such a thing."

Martin, however, said later that "the right of free speech is a constitutional right; we hold that contravening of these rights is unconstitutional, and diametrically opposed to the principles of democracy."

The union this afternoon charged that the Chrysler Corporation, whose eight plants here are held by sit-down strikers, had "deliberately withheld" evidence in "contemptuous disregard of a Senate committee supena."

The evidence, the union declared, concerned blacklisting of employes for union activities and espionage, matters that Senator Robert M. La Follette's special committee on civil liberties is investigating.

B. F. Hutchinson, chairman of the Chrysler finance committee, denied the charge and countered with an allegation that "the U. A. W. appears to have added the crimes of breaking and entering and burglary to their already illegal seizure of our plants."

Martin, who issued the ultimatum of a general strike to be called today unless police desist in their campaign against smaller plants, said a decision 'probably would not be reached tonight."

Denies Union "Bluff."

To suggestions that the union was "bluffing," he replied that "General Motors thought we were bluffing and Chrysler thought we were bluffing. We are not bluffing in this matter, either."

Representatives of the Detroit, Highland Park and Hamtramck police departments met this afternoon with Sheriff Wilcox, who said the purpose of the conference was "to get a picture of the police manpower relative to the Chrysler strike." The sheriff said he would report to Gov. Frank Murphy.

Martin issued the charges against the Chrysler Corporation in the press room of the company's temporary offices.

Martin said he would be in telephone communication with Senator La Follette tonight about the evidence.

"The listing of union men to be fired for union activities as verified by this information was in direct violation of the law, and the deliberate withholding of this evidence from the Senate investigation committee was a contemptuous disregard of the direct mandate of the Senate subpena."

Martin said photostatic evidence included cards of employes with such notations as "fired for extending every effort to organize inspectors; do not rehire;" "Talks too much union;" "formerly active union man; to best of our knowledge he has severed all connections and is apparently O. K."

There was also a copy of a letter to the Chrysler Corporation about gas masks and gas guns.

At the same time a Detroit manufacturers' agent declared that petitions for the recall of Gov. Murphy would be circulated unless the Governor uses the State's military force to eject all sit-down strikers.

Other developments today included:

Disclosure by Gov. Murphy that he had received letters and telephone calls threatening his life.

Announcement by the Governor that legislation is being drafted to deal with labor disputes.

Rejection by Chrysler Corporation conferees of a union proposal to settle the Chrysler strike on the basis of the U. A. W.-G. M. agreement, which provides virtually exclusive bargaining rights for six months.

Organization of union "minute men" along military lines to "protect strikers and the right to strike."

An offer by the Michigan Sheriff's Association to supply 1,000 trained men to help eject sit-down strikes in Detroit.

Today's evictions were accomplished without any of the violence that characterized the ejection of more than 100 women from the Bernard Schwartz Cigar Co. plant Saturday night.

Western Union Boost.

New York, March 22 (AP).—F. G. Burton, president of the Association of Western Union Employes, announced today an agreement with the Western Union Telegraph Co. by which he said earnings of approximately 30,000 employes would be increased $2,500,000 annually.

Negotiations ended today, he said, with the signing of the agreement calling for a 25 per cent premium for Sunday work, holidays off with full pay, Saturday afternoons off with full pay, and a restoration of pay of general, division and district office workers to 1929 wage levels.

Richmond Strike Ended.

Richmond, Va., March 22 (AP).—More than 200 employes of two Richmond plants went on strike today, but 150 prepared to return to work tomorrow morning after the company offered a 10 per cent wage increase.

The settlement was reached at the plant of Morgan Brothers, bag manufacturers, six hours after an unannounced walkout.

Between 55 and 60 workers at the American Furniture and Fixture Co. plant, meanwhile, continued on strike while labor and company spokesmen exchanged statements on efforts of the Carpenters and Millmen's Local, No. 1682, to negotiate an agreement on collective bargaining.

Burial Is Held

R. MARBURY STAMP, Washington realtor, whose funeral services were held yesterday in St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, with the Rev. Dr. Herbert Scott Smith officiating. Burial was in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Owners Yield In Rhode Island Easter Strike

Pickets Parade the Streets of Providence as 90 Stores Close.

By the Associated Press.

Providence, R. I., March 22.—After a day in which major department stores and scores of apparel shops in Rhode Island's capital were closed to pre-Easter business by a city-wide strike, mediators reached an agreement.

Stores owners have agreed to an increase which goes immediately to the strikers for ratification.

With only food and drug establishments exempted by the Committee for Industrial Organization in its announced drive to enroll the 12,000 Providence store workers, approximately 90 stores already were under lock and key.

The shopping district presented something of a holiday atmosphere, with smiling pickets parading in front of all open shops until one after another closed their doors.

Stylishly dressed young women were among the several hundred pickets who wore armbands with the legend: "Department Store Picket."

Many women—would-be shoppers—expressed fears they would be unable to purchase Easter finery which all department store windows brilliantly displayed.

Gov. Robert E. Quinn, in efforts to effect an early settlement, called the disputants together and told them the public must be considered first.

A new type of strike—a sit-down against a shop closing—was staged by 10 salesgirls in one dress shop after the management closed the store under the pressure of heavy picketing.

They said they would go home tonight, but would return tomorrow when, the management said, the store would reopen.

The employers had agreed Saturday on a two-weeks' vacation, compensation for overtime and a wage study. The strike was called yesterday by the C. I. O., with a demand for the wage increase and union recognition also.

There was no disorder throughout the day as a heavy detail of police kept crowds moving. Hundreds stopped to watch the picketing, but were sent on their way so that no large crowds congregated in any given area.

There are approximately 1,400 retail stores in the city, and union officials predicted all would be closed unless demands mere met.

New York Strikers Confer.

New York, March 22 (AP).—An all-day conference today between union representatives and officials of the H. L. Green Co. failed to end the sit-down strikes which have kept five of the company's 5, 10 and 25 cent stores closed for a week.

Clarina Michelson, chief organizer for the Department Store Employes Union, said the management had made "certain concessions," but that the question of wages and hours had not been settled. She indicated the strikes would continue until an agreement was reached on these points.

She said the company offered to put into effect a 48-hour week for all employes, including men now working as much as 60 hours, but the union demands a 40-hour week for everybody.

The conference was adjourned to permit the union group to attend a conference at Mayor F. H. LaGuardia's office with representatives of the F. W. Woolworth Co., relating to two Woolworth stores where there have been strikes.

Landis Backing For Sit-Downs Denied by Aide

Fox Defends SEC Chief's Speech to Law Group; Assails Critics.

Charging critics of a speech delivered by James M. Landis, chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission and dean-elect of Harvard Law School, with making "totally uncalled-for implications," John McDill Fox, former dean of Catholic University Law School, now a senior attorney for the SEC, yesterday in a statement to The Post defended the remarks made by his chief before the Eastern Law Students Conference Saturday.

"The occasion of his address was a meeting of law school students," Fox said. 'He was attempting to instill into their minds the thought that common law was elastic, was so broad in its basic principles that it could be applied to ever-varying and shifting factual and economic conditions and it is constantly expanding its concepts of human rights."

"He did not, so far as I can gather, approve of the sit-down strike. He did not prophesy court approval of it presently or in the concrete. He was using the historical development of labor legislation and the rights of labor as an illustration of his main theme. He leaned over backward, as it seemed to me, specifically to point out, in his distinction between a lockout and a sit-down strike, that 'because of the absence of any relationship, such as the lockout possesses to property, this new claim of workers to prevent all production finds itself with doubtful traditional legal justification.'

"With reference to his personal opinion on the merits, propriety or legality of the sit-down strikes," Fox ended, "I am ignorant. To gather his opinion solely from his remarks at Catholic University, candor would compel one to draw the conclusion that he did not think their present illegality was even debatable. He does believe in the right of collective bargaining. This and this only legitimately can be drawn from his remarks."

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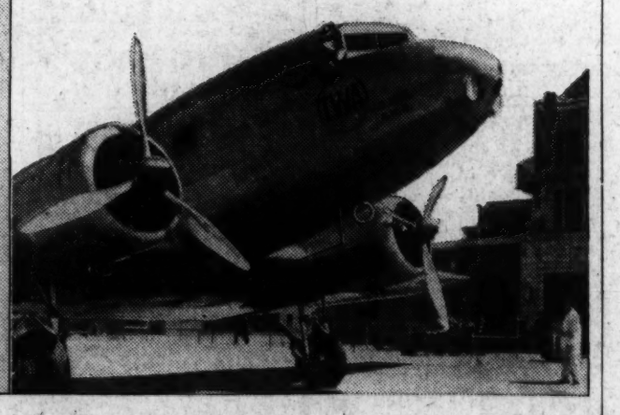

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'Jane Eyre' Is A Period Play Of Rare Power

Katharine Hepburn, Ace Cast Win Capacity House at National Opening.

By Nelson B. Bell.

"JANE EYRE." The Theater Guild presents the play in three acts and seven scenes, dramatized by Helen Jerome from the novel by Charlotte Bronte. Directed by Worthington Miner, with settings and costumes designed by Lee Simonson. Production under the personal supervision of Theresa Helburn, Lawrence Langner and Worthington Miner. Reviewed Monday night at the National Theater.

—THE CAST—

Mrs. Fairfax	Viola Roache
Leah	Philippa Bevans
Jane Eyre	Katharine Hepburn
Mr. Rochester	Dennis Hoey
Adele Varens	Patricia Peardon
Grace Poole	Teresa Dale
Mason	Irving Morrow
The Maniac	Teresa Guerini
Blanche Ingram	Shirley Dale
Lady Ingram	Katharine Stewart
Lord Ingram	Wallace Widdecombe
Briggs	Wilfrid Seagram
Rev. Wood	Boyd Davis
Diana Rivers	Doris Dalton
Hannah	Marga Ann Deighton
St. John Rivers	Tom Powers

The volume of applause thundered upon the cast at the end of each of the seven scenes of the three acts by a capacity audience in the National Theater last night signalized the virtual triumph of Katharine Hepburn and her associate players in Helen Jerome's completely sympathetic dramatization of Charlotte Bronte's enduring novel of "Jane Eyre."

Although possessing neither the colorful pictorial effects nor the thickly peopled personnel of her earlier stage adaptation of Jane Austen's "Pride and Prejudice," Mrs. Jerome in the present work has sustained with equal fidelity both the atmosphere and the quaint charm of the fictional work upon which she has founded her drama. "Jane Eyre" makes up in vivid characterization and concentrated emotional intensity anything that it may lack in grandiose scenic and costume appeals to the eye. This is not to say that "Jane Eyre" is in any sense deficient in appropriate and artistic investiture—merely that it is a play of similar period but slightly different genre from its predecessor from the same pen.

Bronte Dialogue Retained.

Mrs. Jerome probably found a simpler task in formulating her play from the Bronte novel than she encountered in bringing "Pride and Prejudice" to the stage. A great deal of the dialogue in this revivification of an antiquated, but still vibrant, story of frustrated loves, clashes of will and ultimate solace was written by Charlotte Bronte. This is to say that complete passages have been incorporated into the play from the novel without appreciable alteration or revision by the dramatist. The result is as naively picturesque as it is stirringly dramatic.

The speeches throughout the length of the drama, and by whomever spoken, seem stilted and strangely couched in the light of present day modes of expression. They nevertheless convey a sense of period, environment and character that adds a fillip of novelty as well as conviction to the movement of lives and events.

There is not a great diversity of scene in "Jane Eyre." Six of the seven scenes are played in the austere and perfectly appointed library at Thornfield Hall, the ancestral home of Mr. Rochester, the strangely contradictory male character who largely dominates the play. The other is the less pretentious living room in Moor House, near Whitecross, where Jane seeks asylum after the dabacle of her projected marriage to the man who already had a mad wife hidden in the west wing of his vast monor house.

Is Poignant Drama.

While there are brief flashes of physical action during the progress of the three acts, "Jane Eyre" essentially is psychological drama, pointed by the independent spirit of a homeless orphan, taken into Thornfield Hall as a governess, and the arrogance of the master of the house. From this conflict of temperaments and viewpoints springs the crux of the play, as poignantly impressive as anything that has come to the boards this season.

Katharine Hepburn portrays the title role with a simple ingenuousness that still does not obscure the courage, the idealism or the solid integrity of the character. I would not go so far as to say that Miss Hepburn's inclination to monotone in the delivery of her lines does not at times become a bit monotonous, but I would say that when the final curtain falls on the last scene of the last act, one realizes that she has compounded an impersonation of charm, consistent maintenance of mood and considerable power.

In the opposite role of Mr. Rochester, the longest and most exacting part in the play, it seemed to me last evening that Dennis Hoey did an uncommonly fine piece of work—vigorous, dominant and variegated, precisely as the script must have demanded. Mr. Hoey's voice is not the least of his assets. It is admirably pitched to the resonant demands of the role and is displayed in one scene as a vocal organ that may be as effectively devoted to song as to the recitation of lines. He and Miss Hepburn, as has been intimated, were accorded no less than an ovation at the end of the play.

Support Well Balanced.

Other members of the cast who contribute notably to the success of the evening are Viola Roache, in the motherly role of Mrs. Fairfax, housekeeper at Thornfield Hall; Philippa Bevans, as Leah, the maid; Teresa Dale, as Grace Poole; Doris Dalton, as the lovely Diana Rivers and Marga Ann Deighton, in no more than a "bit" in the Moor House scene. Shirley Dale, Katharine Stewart and Wallace Widdecombe appear advantageously as the aristocrats of the piece and no member of the cast fails to do his full share in maintaining a uniformly high level of performance.

Lee Simonson's settings and costumes are rich and believable and Worthington Miner's direction adds to the sum total of worth of a play that reflects the Theater Guild's willingness to lend its full resources to a dated drama that gains, rather than loses, interest by the antiquity of its form and content.

British Ship Burns.

Liverpool, England, March 22 (U.P.).—Fire tonight doomed the British freighter Marie Moller and a cargo of peanuts destined for May coronation crowds. The vessel, after blazing for hours in the Irish Sea, was abandoned. All 72 members of the crew were removed.

Nelson B. Bell About The Show Shops

Fernand Gravet, New Warner Brothers Star, Bids Fair to Take Lead Among the Film Matinee Idols

Young Belgian Demonstrates in 'The King And The Chorus Girl' That He Is An Actor With 'What It Takes;' 'Fire Over England' Has Engagement Extended; Katharine Cornell Will Take Her Current Plays on Brief Spring Tour; Gossip of the Theater.

AFTER having marveled at the regal splendors with which Warner Brothers have embellished their production of "The King and the Chorus Girl," previewed by Mr. Kelley, of the Times, some visiting firemen and me yesterday afternoon, one is constrained to believe that the Freres Warner "have something" in this handsome, young newcomer, Fernand Gravet, whom they star in the film.

BELL.

Mr. Gravet is a decidedly personable young fellow, to coin a phrase, who occasionally looks like a certain young man of royal blood who recently abdicated his throne—especially in his naval uniform and cap—again like that royal young man's brother, soon to be crowned King, and still again like that ebullient screen comedian, Johnny Hines, who hasn't been seen in the celluloids much of late.

This all sounds like a trifle too wide a span for any one youth to negotiate, but, believe it or not, Gravet bridges the wide gap with complete success and likability. I cannot conceive of anyone's not responding to the ingratiating personality of this new importation to the American cinema. He is polished, suave, humorous and dramatic—in a serio-comic sort of way—and never fails to give the impression that he might be to royalty born.

There seems to be here a definite threat to the heretofore undisputed eminence of the Robert Taylors, the James Stewarts, the Fred McMurrays and the Gary Coopers. As was stated here yesterday, the dark and impeccably groomed Mr. Gravet speaks English with no whit of accent, except that distinguished sort that comes from a thorough education in one of England's foremost colleges. He sounds more like a cultured Briton than either a Belgian or a Frenchman. It is reliably reported that this promising young star was born in Belgium and has recently made his home in France. You never would suspect either fact from the purity of his English diction.

As for "The King and the Chorus Girl," Mervyn LeRoy, in his second productional effort for the Warners, has turned in a musical comedy, with occasional farcical tendencies, that reflects a high quality of creative effort as well as visual beauty such as has not of late been seen on the screen. One might almost imagine that Ernst Lubitsch, the past master at this sort of thing, had had a finger in its making.

The royal apartment, occupied by the former King Alfred VII, with the Count Humbert and Duchess Anna, is a spectacularly magnificent abode for any man. The performances at the Folies Bergere, where the King meets the chorus girl, are executed with great effectiveness and the royal yacht—about the size of the Normandie—represents a still further determination on the part of the producer to make his picture one of genuine artistic eminence.

These all are fleeting impressions being set down while "The King and the Chorus Girl" still is "hot" in the mind's eye. A review of the picture, with something of the content of the story and the manner of its enactment, will appear in this space on Saturday morning. In the meantime, I would suggest that you put this on the "must" list, if you enjoy nicely done flippancies, dressed up with some catchy tunes and interpreted by a cast of superior excellence.

Anyhow, you will want to see Fernand Gravet.

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A panting emissary from the managerial office of RKO-Keith's Theater, no longer ago than these last five minutes, brings a dispatch from Hardie Meakin to the net effect that due to the unusual public interest that is being betrayed in "Fire Over England," the Alexander Korda production dealing with the times of Queen Elizabeth of England and the Spanish Armada, current on the Keith screen, that production will be continued on Fifteenth street through Thursday of this week. This means that Katharine Hepburn and Franchot Tone will not be seen in RKO-Radio's picturization of Sir James Matthew Barrie's "Quality Street" until Friday. I trust this does not call off this afternoon's projected cocktail party in honor of Miss Hepburn in the Presidential suite of the Willard. If it does, I shall have to go out and buy myself a sandwich; otherwise, I shall fast until then!

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It is interesting to note that the cast of "A Family Affair," coming to the screen at Loew's Capitol Theater on Friday, largely will duplicate that seen in the screen version of "Ah, Wilderness," Eugene O'Neill's nostalgic comedy.

Lionel Barrymore will be the father and Spring Byington again will appear as his wife. Julie Haydon becomes his eldest daughter, Joan, and Cecilia Parker once more will be the younger daughter, Marian, with Eric Linden as her fiance. All these, if memory serves, were in "Ah, Wilderness."

From "Captains Courageous," Mickey Rooney has been brought over into this cast to play Barrymore's son, and Sara Haden will be Aunt Milly, the schoolteacher, thus completing an acting ensemble whose worth already is known to all seasoned theatergoers.

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Just as she closed her New York seasons in "The Barretts of Wimpole Street," "Romeo and Juliet" and "Saint Joan," while still attracting crowded houses to those plays, so Katharine Cornell will end her highly successful Broadway run in Maxwell Anderson's "The Wingless Victory" and George Bernard Shaw's "Candida," in the Empire Theater, in order to present these unusual plays in Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago late this spring. Miss Cornell, by the way, will be a White House guest the evening of Tuesday, March 30, to receive the National Achievement Award sponsored by Chi Omega from the hands of Mrs. Franklin Delano Roosevelt, wife of the President.

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And the end is not yet. With a preview screening of "A Family Affair" and Miss Hepburn's press reception in the Willard both scheduled for this afternoon, word comes over the wire that tomorrow evening at 6 the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer moguls and mogulesses will serve cocktails in the Willard, followed by dinner for the starving Armenians of the Fourth Estate, which in turn will be followed by a preview screening of "The Good Earth" in the private projection room of the Twentieth Century-Fox Film Exchange.

"The Good Earth," as you must have heard by now, is M-G-M's imposing picturization of Pearl Buck's monumental novel of the same name, in which the costellar roles are played by Paul Muni, as Wang Lun, and Luise Rainer, as Olan.

Just one continuous round of pleasure is what I always say.

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Echo-From-the-Anxious-Seat Note.

But just precisely when is one supposed to do one's work?

Film Table

Earle—"Head Over Heels in Love," at 11 a. m., 1:30, 4:10, 7:10 and 9:50 p. m. Stage shows at 12:45, 3:25, 6:25 and 9:05 p. m.

RKO-Keith's — "Fire Over England," at 11:44 a. m., 1:44, 3:44, 5:44, 7:44 and 9:44 p. m.

Loew's Capitol — "Espionage," at 11 a. m., 1:40, 4:25, 7:20 and 10:05 p. m. Stage shows at 12:50, 3:35, 6:25 and 9:10 p. m.

Metropolitan — "When You're in Love," at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:10, 5:20, 7:25 and 9:35 p. m.

Columbia—"The Holy Terror," at 11:10 a. m., 1:05, 2:55, 4:45, 6:25, 8:15 and 10:05 p. m.

Palace—"On the Avenue," at 12:20, 2:35, 4:55, 7:10 and 9:35 p. m.

Rialto—"Mama Loves Papa," at 11:30 a. m., 2:19, 5:18 and 8:24 p. m. "The Front Page," at 12:39, 3:38, 6:44 and 9:50 p. m.

Little Theater—"King of Kings," at 10:30 a. m., 12:29, 2:40, 5, 7:20 and 9:40 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreel and Shorts, at 10 and 11:15 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 3, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m.

Tivoli — "Lloyds of London," at 2:15, 4:30, 6:45 and 9 p. m.

Ambassador—"Head Over Heels in Love," at 6, 7:50 and 9:45 p. m.

Uptown—"The Plainsman," at 2:30, 4:50, 7:10 and 9:30 p. m.

French Educator Dies.

Paris, March 22 (AP).—Jacques Cavalier, 69, noted pedagogue and director of higher education in France since 1926, died today of injuries suffered when he was struck by a motorcycle yesterday.

Raid Victims Deny Gambling Charge

United States Commissioner Needham C. Turnage's office again was swamped with alleged gamblers yesterday morning—an aftermath of Saturday's drive against gambling places.

Six men pleaded not guilty to charges of conspiracy to violate gaming laws and setting up a gaming table and were released under $1,000 bond each for hearings two weeks later.

The men were Robert H. Miller, Ely Friedman, Frank Joseph Meletti, George Shettel, jr., and Max Brody, charged with conspiracy, and Harry W. Woods, who was charged with setting up a gaming table.

Meanwhile, Commissioner Turnage again continued cases against a number of other gamblers seized during the more than 30 raids of the last two weeks. Turnage explained that the cases were continued to allow the raiders an opportunity to present the cases to the grand jury.

King Plans Hearing On Juvenile Court Bill

enator King, chairman of the Senate District Committee, yesterday was trying to arrange a meeting of the special sub-committee on the juvenile court bill for Wednesday or Thursday of this week.

Because of the objections of local social welfare organizations to proposals for revising the measure, a public hearing will be held when the sub-committee meets.

Plays Male Lead in "Jane Eyre"

The role of Mr. Rochester, hero of Helen Jerome's dramatization of Charlotte Bronte's novel of "Jane Eyre," currently at the National Theater, starring Katharine Hepburn, is played by Dennis Hoey, talented young English actor whose likeness appears above. Miss Hepburn is additionally supported by a strong cast that has assisted in making this play one of the "road" sensations of the season.

In Hollywood

With JIMMY FIDDLER

HOLLYWOOD, MARCH 23.

I don't know what we would do here in the movie colony without "relatives." When we run short of funny stories, there are always anecdotes about producers and their kinfolk. Yes, the "relative problem" is unique in Hollywood. Not that we don't have our servant problem, social problem and sex problem—but relatives come first. Some come first of the week, others come first of the month, and they come in droves like bees—not working bees either, but drones.

Just let sixth-cousin Charlie or half-sister-Suzy-on-step-mamma's side land a movie contract, and all the living limbs of the family tree hold reunion and adopt a new by-law, to wit: "Resolved, that of even date we shall quit work and enjoy the good fortune of our Hollywood kin." Here is an example of our peculiar brand of relatives.

The aunt and two cousins of a certain star (who shall remain unnamed), sent a frantic telegram that a $9,000 mortgage on the old homestead was due, and there was no money with which to pay. After considerable thought—and out of respect to his mother's sister—the star sent this small fortune to clear the mortgage. Three months later came another sorrow-laden wire; a $6,000 mortgage was due. The star of course demanded to know what had happened, and received this answer: "We borrowed on the home again. What we really needed was a houseboat."

Without resorting to record books, I can name at least a dozen stars who are contributing weekly or monthly checks to the support of eight or more relatives. Most distasteful about the entire situation is this: Many of these kinfolk, instead of being grateful, accept as their due right that the successful relatives should support them in luxury.

I have commented before on the "wiseness" of movie tots. No kidding, I overheard this on a set the other morning. Two 6-year-olds, working extra in a Shirley Temple picture, were talking about the little star. "How old does she say she is?" one asked. She claims 7, going on 8," the other whispered. "Oh yeah?" came the sotto voce disbelief, "if she's 7, I'll never see 10 again!"

Tony Martin probably will not appreciate this story leaking out, but it is too good to keep. Seems that he awakened about 2 a. m. the other night. He knew it was bitter cold outdoors, but he was in the throes of high fever, in fact, he was so over-neated he could hardly breathe and had difficulty reaching his telephone to summon a doctor.

The physician rushed into clothes, careened through Hollywood at panicky speed, slid to a screeching stop in front of Tony's home, and dashed to the actor's room. A couple of quick sniffs at the air and a glance around, and he solemnly wrote out his instructions. Then he tiptoed quietly from the room. Martin finally mustered strength to reach for the prescription, and read: "Turn off the heat!" Twenty-five bucks it cost him!

Contract Bridge

By Mrs. Ely Culbertson.

Fatal Procrastination.

Procrastination has no place at the Bridge table. Tricks that are not taken at the proper time have a habit of melting under the heat of a squeeze or coup. West, in the hand shown below, thought there was no hurry about cashing his one and only trick. To use a slangy but succinct phrase, "he found out different."

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

	♠ 7 6 3 ♡ Q 8 4 ◇ Q 10 6 5 ♣ 10 7 3	
♠ K 9 8 5 2 ♡ 6 3 ◇ 9 8 4 2 ♣ Q 5	West North East South	♠ Q 4 ♡ A K J 10 2 ◇ K J 7 3 ♣ 6 4
	♠ A J 10 ♡ 9 7 5 ◇ A ♣ A K J 9 8 2	

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♣	Pass	1 ◇	Pass
3 ♣	Pass	Pass	3 ♡
Double	3 ♠	Pass	Pass
Double	Pass	4 ♣	Double
Pass	Pass	Pass	

North's one diamond response was stretching things a bit, even on the noncommittal one-over-one principle. With only two Queens and the bad 4-3-3-3 distribution, North's best course was a simple pass. East was "trapping" when he failed to bid over the one diamond—he hoped for either further diamond bidding or a notrump contract which he might severely penalize. When North passed over South's urging-bid of three clubs, however, East decided to enter the fray, since he could do nothing against clubs. South felt that one trick in his partner's hand would certainly defeat three hearts—hence the double. West's rescue with his miserable spade suit was incomprehensible and, of course, equally indefensible. That he escaped from severe punishment was due to East's excellent holding and the fact that North felt he could not stand the double. East's double of the less-than-game contract was justified; he could not know that his partner had entered the bidding with almost a "bust."

West opened the six of hearts; dummy ducked, and East's ten held the trick. East cashed the King, but then made the very bad mistake of shifting to the spade Queen. What motivated this play cannot be imagined. Declarer was marked from the bidding with three hearts, and West with two. But even if this holding had been reversed, there was no reason for East's failure to lay down the heart Ace.

Declarer jumped on the Queen of Spades with the Ace, and drew two rounds of trumps, then led the ten of spades. West probably "thought" that his partner might have the blank Jack at this state, and therefore ducked. Considering that West himself held the nine of spades, it is difficult to see why he should have feared a blank Jack in East's hand—the nine would have been the controlling card in that case.

Declarer did not give the defenders another chance to redeem their errors. He laid down the diamond Ace, and threw East on lead with the third heart. Now, whatever East did would be fatal: to lead another heart would allow declarer to discard his remaining spade while dummy ruffed, and the play of the diamond King, declarer ruffing, would merely establish dummy's Queen for a spade discard.

Tomorrow's Hand.

West, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

	♠ 6 ♡ 8 5 2 ◇ Q J 10 9 8 7 ♣ A Q 9	
♠ A 8 7 3 ♡ A K 7 6 ◇ A 6 2 ♣ 8 7	West North East South	♠ K 5 4 2 ♡ 9 4 3 ◇ 4 3 ♣ K 5 3 2
	♠ Q J 10 9 ♡ Q J 10 ◇ K 5 ♣ J 10 6 4	

Should North leave in a two spade double after he has overcalled one heart with two diamonds?

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Widow Is Given Large Share of Norment Estate

Trust Funds Are Provided for Children in Will Filed Yesterday.

Mrs. Lizzie Smith Norment, widow of the late Clarence F. Norment, will receive a substantial share of his estate, it was disclosed in District Court yesterday, when his will was filed. Mr. Norment, for many years one of the city's leading civic and financial leaders, died at the age of 80, March 14. No estimate of the estate was filed with the will.

Mrs. Norment is to have $50,000 in cash and is to receive the income from a $300,000 trust fund, of which her son, Clarence F. Norment, jr., president of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Co., is to be trustee. Upon her death the trust will be divided between the son and two daughters, Mrs. Judith E. N. Fuller and Mrs. Ethel N. Alden.

The will also directed an additional trust fund of $450,000, of which $100,000 is to be held in trust for the children, who will receive the income for life. Upon the death of each child a proportionate share of the trust is to go to his or her children. Another provision set up a $150,000 fund which is to be allowed to accumulate, with the proviso that after 15 years it is to be distributed to the grandchildren.

Ida M. Walters, a niece, is to have $10,000 cash; George L. Starkey, a cousin, $10,000; Anna Beall Norment, another niece, $3,000; Mrs. Mary Ward Lewis, $3,000; $1,000 to the Society of Oldest Inhabitants, and $1,000 to the Society of Natives of the District.

Puerto Rico Riot Toll Reaches 10; Others Near Death

Ponce, Puerto Rico, March 22 (AP).—This island city was tense but quiet tonight as heavily armed police patrolled the streets to guard against further Nationalist riotin.

The death toll from yesterday's fighting between the Nationalists—who seek independence from the United States—and police rose to ten. Several others were reported near death.

The Sunday battle was started, police said, when Nationalists fired on police assigned to prevent them from holding a mass demonstration which had been banned by city officials.

New Canadian Official.

Ottawa, March 22 (AP).—J. C. Bowen, of Edmonton, was named lieutenant governor of Alberta today, succeeding the late P. C. H. Primrose. Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King announced the appointment.

What's Going On And Where

Luncheons.

Kappa Beta Pi Legal Sorority, Willard Hotel, 12:15 p. m.

Women's National Press Club, Willard Hotel, 1:00 p. m.

Membership Committee Washington Board of Trade, Willard Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Civitan Club, Mayflower Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Optimist Club, Mayflower Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Meetings.

St. Charles Lay Alumni Association, Willard Hotel, 8 p. m.

Adjutant General's Office, Local No. 372, N. F. F. E., 710 Fourteenth street northwest, 8 p. m.

Association Military Colleges and Schools, Mayflower Hotel, 10 a. m.

Business Women's Council, Covenant-First Presbyterian Church, 7:15 p. m.

Botanical Society of Washington, Department of Agriculture, South Building, 8 p. m.

Second annual convention, District of Columbia Chapter, P. E. O. Sisterhood, All Souls Unitarian Church, 10 a. m.

Collector's Club, Branch No. 5, S. P. A., Thomson School, 8 p. m.

Dance.

Pennsylvania State Society, Willard Hotel, 9 p. m.

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By LEONARD LYONS

FEATURE STORY: The Boston censor was sent a script of the play "Brother Rat." He objected to one line, and ordered it changed. The line, referring to an indelicate subject, is "With drugstores on every corner, you have to—" • • • • "After all," the censor reminded, "this is Boston. Change it." • • • • The next day the authors submitted the proposed change to "With drugstores on every other corner!"

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THEATER DEPARTMENT: Gertrude Lawrence attended the show at Minsky's Oriental a few nights ago. In the lobby of the theater she saw the board whereon celebrities who attend sign their autographs... While Miss Lawrence was signing her name, a companion said: "Good old Gertie." . . . "Oh, no, not 'Good old Gertie,'" Miss Lawrence replied. "I've just been inside. Now it's just 'Good Gertie!'"

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MOVIES: Ben Bernie is a creditor of ancient standing, in so far as the financial matters of Gregory Ratoff are concerned. . . . Mr. Ratoff met Bernie again recently, bowed politely and suggested: "Will you do me the honor—of being the last one I pay off?"

RADIO DEPARTMENT: Three weeks ago Ben Leider, who was the New York Post's flying reporter, was killed in Spain, during aerial combat, fighting for the loyalist forces. A "Ben Leider Memorial Fund" is being raised to perpetuate his memory, by aiding the causes which he felt were just . . . Sunday evening at 8:30, over Station WEVD, the actors and writers of WPA's Living Theater will enact a sketch portraying the highlights of Ben Leider's life.

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FOOD AND HEALTH DEPARTMENT: More anent the birthday party tendered by Dorothy Mackail—at which she had the birthday cake stuffed with sawdust . . . Some of the guests devoured their portions, sawdust and all. They thought it was Halvah!

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ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT: The Harlem Uproar House sends ads to the various newspapers, featuring its slogan: "A Nude Deal in Night Life." And in describing some of the strip-tease talent employed there, the management used the words "Stripendous." . . . Only one paper refused to run the ad, unless changes were made. The ad, as it appears only in the New York Times, changed "Stripendous" to "Stupendous," and instead of "A Nude Deal," it's "A New Deal."

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SCHOOL DEPARTMENT: Michael Cea, 12, attends Community Center 74 in the Bronx. The Center's newspaper polled the youngsters regarding their ambitions. Michael stated that his ambition was to become a fireman. He therefore was assigned to submit a story regarding the Life of a Fireman . . . He went to Fire Company 88, interviewed Lieut. Geis there, and wrote his report. "If you send us copies of that article," the fireman promised, "we'll take care of you" . . . Cea secured the copies. The arrangement is that every time young Michael delivers an article describing the Life of a Fireman, he is rewarded in an unusual way. Fire Company 88 permits him—to slide down the firemen's pole!

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REALTY DEPARTMENT: George Burns and Gracie Allen have just moved into their new Hollywood home whose bathroom walls have been decorated with elegant wallpaper . . . Last week George, who likes hot steam showers, was indulging this delight—and some of the steamsteam vapors seeped through the door . . . "George, are you taking a steam shower?" Gracie shouted to him . . . "Yes," he answered . . . "Well, don't do it," she pleaded, "it's no good." . . . "No good for me?" Burns asked . . . 'Oh, no," Gracie answered. "No good for the wallpaper."

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT: The daughter of a famed theatrical star is afflicted with stammering. Her mother sent her to a psychiatrist who recommended an unusual treatment. "I want you to speak out whatever you're thinking of right now," he directed. "Go ahead, speak whatever thought is in your mind." . . . The young lady remained silent. The psychiatrist reported the incident to the star, who summoned her daughter. "Why didn't you speak what you were thinking of?" she asked her daughter . . . "I couldn't," the young lady explained. "Because what kept running through my mind was: 'This is costing 40 cents a minute, this is costing 40 cents a minute.'"

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BUSINESS DEPARTMENT: Mary Boland is trying to sell her 14-room Hollywood home . . . "I'll tell you the real reason why," she confessed to Laura Hope Crews. "We live in only one room of that house. We don't need the other rooms." . . . "I'll confess something, too," Laura replied. "We live in an 18-room house we're trying to sell. We can't get used to anything except a hall bedroom either!"

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JESSIE MATTHEWS
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In Warner Bros.—Mervyn Le Roy's
"KING & CHORUS GIRL"
with JOAN BLONDELL
On Stage
JAN GARBER & ORCH.
25c to 1 P. M.

METROPOLITAN
Last 3 Days
GRACE MOORE
in Columbia's
"WHEN YOU'RE IN LOVE"
with Cary Grant
Coming Friday
CLARK GABLE ☆ CAROLE LOMBARD
In Paramount's
"NO MAN OF HER OWN"
Brought Back By Popular Demand
MAT. 25c—EVE 25c & 40c

Loew's CAPITOL F-at 14th
Last 3 Days
Mystery with a howl
'ESPIONAGE'
Madge EVANS - Edmund LOWE
STAGE
WINI SHAW GLAMOROUS LADY IN RED
ARTHUR REILLY
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Comedy.

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Joan Bennett, Cary Grant, "WEDDING PRESENT."
Comedy.

LIDO 3227 M ST. N.W.
Joseph Calleia, "Sworn Enemy."
"WE'RE IN THE LEGION NOW."

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James Cagney in "GREAT GUY." | Herbert Marshall in "MAKE WAY FOR A LADY."

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Last Day
James Cagney in "Great Guy."
March of Time.

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Today, Tom Tyrone Power, "Lloyds of London."

JESSE THEATER 18th & Irving Sts. N.E.
Greta Garbo, Robert Taylor, "CAMILLE."

SYLVAN 1st and R. I. Ave. N.W.
Robert Armstrong, Sally Eilers, "WITHOUT ORDERS."
Noah Beery, Jr. (Tuffy) "THE MIGHTY TREVE."

PALM THEATER DEL RAY, VA.
Sonja Henie in "ONE IN A MILLION."

A WOMAN'S NEW YORK

By Alice Hughes.

New York, March 22.

THIS is a town of extraordinary pretty girls—lured here by the marts of trade, the theater, films, and just the thought of being where so many absurd things are happening at once. But I don't think I've ever seen a tastier lot of young ladies in one group than the 287 students of Stephens College, of Columbia, Mo., who just finished a three-day stopover among us.

ALICE HUGHES.

Shepherded by President James Madison Wood, this large posse of Dream Girls were in the midst of a 16-day junket around the East in a special train. That seems to be the sort of school that little girls pray for! And Prexy Wood's students were having a slightly terrific time. They catpured the junior generals at West Point at a tea dance, and then marched in a body on Annapolis, where they subdued the apprentice admirals with equal ease. They all put up at the good old Pennsylvania Hotel, and when they weren't fascinating our young men they were at theaters and parties. What an institution Stephens must be!

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The good prexy told me that he figured that 87 per cent of his pretty creatures got their man within five years after graduation. He also says his scholars are allowed much latitude in date making. "We have good facilities," he said, throwing in a chuckle. "The University of Missouri, with 3,000 men, is right in town, and Kemper Military School is nearby. The young men visit freely."

Where has this school been all our lives? 6

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GIRL ABOUT TOWN—Our exhibtion of Daffy Art, staged by the irreverent society kids to spoof Surrealism, is winding up in a gale of giggles. My raffish helpmate was fascinated especially by Prince Paul Chavchavadeze's (don't sprain your tongue on that one!) "Portrait of a Man with a Fur Tongue," but bitterly denies that he posed for it on a bad Sunday morning! . . .

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New Yorkers are still fleeing from overcrowded Manhattan Island in huge droves, and rushing over the East River to the Borough of Queens, where there are open lots in which kids and hounds may romp at will. Building is booming over there, I hear. One firm alone is to build 1,800 homes (quite a town in itself) on the site of the old Curtiss-Wright airport on Long Island. It will have its own shopping center.

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Good news for the careless and absent-minded! Local gem firms are now peddling a water-proof watch, fit for submersion in the bathtub or the sea! It has a double case, and a face of white sapphire crystal. And it is still small and graceful . . .

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Claire Tilden Dress Pattern

YOU DON'T have to teach this cute youngster how to dress herself! She's already wise to the fact that those three big buttons down the front will do the trick, and she 'does" 'em. Note the cunning puffed up sleeves—idol of all 1-to-10-year-olds. Note, too, the wealth of pleats fairly radiate energy and activity. 'Easy to make 'em?" you ask. None easier than Pattern 120! You'll see for yourself once you've begun on this clearly explained bloomer-frock pattern. Make her one for play, of sprightly printed percale, gingham or chambray, with collar and cuffs of spanking white pique. Detailed Sewing Guide accompanies this pattern.

Pattern 120 is cut in sizes 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10. Size 6 requires 2⅛ yards 36-inch fabric and ½ yard contrasting.

Send 15 cents in coins or stamps (preferably coins) for this pattern. Write clearly size, name, address and style number.

Send orders to The Washington Post, Pattern Department, 70 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y.

Black and White for Easter

The newest of the new in the realm of redingotes, for the spring parade of fashions on Easter Sunday. This one is made of black and white printed silk crepe, worn under a sheer wool redingote whose skirt is slit to show the printed frock. White accents add smartness to the ensemble.

MARY HAWORTH'S MAIL

How to "Bring His Attentions to a Focus" Is Problem of Girl Who's Been Beaued 30 Months.

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I have been going with some regularity with one boy for the past two and a half years—ever since he finished college in 1934. He sees me about a dozen times a month, for dinner, dances and for the theater. I think we've seen everything at the National from Helen Mencken in "Seventh Heaven" to Gielgud's "Hamlet." He is very affectionate and very attentive and seems perfectly content to let things go at that. Apparently he is going *permanently* to fill the role of dependable and devoted suitor. Is there any way under heaven I can bring his attentions to a focus? S. V.

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DEAR S. V.: By "bringing his attentions to a focus" I suppose you mean bestirring the young man to a proposal of marriage. The only way that can be done—if it can be done—is to provide him competition; rouse his jealousy; threaten his sense of proprietorship. After 30 months' continuous companionship, I daresay he has grown as dependent upon you as upon his right arm and no doubt accepts you with the same casual possessiveness. But it's a funny thing about our right arm—we never truly value nor profoundly appreciate it until we are threatened with the loss of it.

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It may seem a risky thing to do to vouchsafe one of those thrice-weekly dates to another man; your dependable beau may be piqued and go off to sulk in a corner and not call you again for a week or two; but if he is subconsciously regarding you as the potential sharer of his future joys and sorrows, he will be around again eventually, with his ardor intensified to the proposing point.

A Helpful Friend.

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I have a friend who publishes a small paper in a small town. I would love to help him but am a poor writer and not very witty or humorous. However, I enjoy reading the wise sayings, wit of the world and food for thought that I find in other papers and magazines. Do you think it would be proper for me to send this friend a few clippings of the sort I have saved up for use in his paper? He is only a friend, you understand, and we have never talked of love, although we exchange letters once in a while and very friendly ones. I value his friendship highly and do not wish to place myself in an embarrassing position.

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If you think it would be all right for me do this, perhaps you can suggest a way to introduce the offer into one of our conversations. Maybe there is something else I could do that would be more helpful than this. Seemingly he has a hard time filling up space at present. There seems to be more advertising than anything else and he has expressed a desire to increase the size of his paper. If I am foolish for thinking of this please tell me so. Many thanks for your help. CAROLYN.

DEAR CAROLYN: Newspaper feature material of the type you have in mind usually is copyrighted and can be printed only in newspapers which purchase the publishing rights to it from the author's agent, which is usually a syndicate. The dearth of sprightly copy from which your friend's small newspaper suffers probably doesn't mean that he does not read widely, nor that he isn't as able with the scissors as you, but only that he knows what he is privileged to reprint and what he isn't.

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If this newspaper seems to carry more advertising copy than news and feature material, that may seem a shame from the innocent layman-reader's point of view, but I daresay your publisher friend thinks otherwise. No newspaper can long survive if it doesn't carry plenty of advertising copy, for advertising revenue is the life blood of newspapers; it is the only sustaining source of income they have. The average newspaper which gets along, pays its bills, and banks a small profit toward future expansion, usually carries at least 60 per cent advertising copy to 40 per cent news copy, so I've heard.

Since you know absolutely nothing about the routine inside workings of a newspaper, it is likely you would be making yourself ridiculous in your friend's estimate by offering specific suggestions for improving his paper or clarifying his editorial perplexities. You might tell him, however, that if there is anything at all you could do to help him you will be glad to do it. Such an offer need not be tactfully insinuated. It may be stated quite candidly. Maybe, out of your experience and observation you could write a weekly column of household hints: little three or four line paragraphs on time savers in housework and cooking, beauty hints, care of clothing, grocery marketing tips, care of furniture, drapes, rugs, electrical equipment, etc., etc.

M. H.

Miss Haworth will be glad to help you in solving your problems. Write her in care of The Post's Woman's Page.

Paray Has Created Mid-Calf Pantaloons

Paris (U.P.).—Lucile Paray has created amusing pantaloons for the beach that are like long, tight shorts that come to mid-calf length. She shows these in white shantung with a tunic top in blue and white printed shantung.

The tunic, which comes the knees, has little flare. It is belted with white shantung and the bare back is also outlined by a band of white shantung.

Today's HEALTH TALK

By Dr. Logan Clendening.

The twin brother of the spring bath of our ancestors was the spring tonic—sulphur and molasses or sarsaparilla, or best of all, a mess of greens. Our grandmothers gave these things blindly. We understand a little bit better the method of their operation. There is no question that our grandmothers were right, even though they did not understand the reason, in prohibiting a bath during the winter and starting out with some sort of "blood cleanser" in the spring.

We take our spring tonic now all through the year—all through the winter, in the form of fresh vegetables and fruits, and fresh meats, which were almost unprocurable during the winters of 50 or 75 years ago. The lack of vitamins in these substances caused the skin to become scruffy, and if our ancestors had bathed as much as we do in the winter, they would probably have had quite a serious skin condition.

Another thing that our grandmothers did blindly was to determine the amount of spring tonic that was needed by seeing whether the tongue was furred or not. As I said a week or two ago, the modern physician does not use the tongue in diagnosis very much any more, because avitaminosis does not occur to that extent except in certain faraway parts of the world.

The green vegetables—the mess of greens grandmaw used to clear up her tongue and take the scruff off her hands—contained various kinds of vitamins. If grandmother's potato barrel lasted through the winter, the family was probably protected from Vitamin C deficiency, which means scurvy, because the potato contains a good deal of this, but there are other vitamins which are not present in that article of diet.

To show the difference between the green vegetables and others: A recent study by the United States Department of Agriculture on the difference between the outer green leaves and the inner bleached leaves of lettuce (heaven's gift to the dietitian), showed that the Vitamin A content was 34.5 units (Sherman) per gram in the green and 1.0 in the bleached leaves. There was little difference in Vitamin B between the two. Nor Vitamin C. Vitamin G, however, showed 1.18 units (Sherman) per gram for the green leaves, and 0.67 for the bleached leaves in one test.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Seven pamphlets by Dr. Clendening can now be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin, for each, and a self-addressed envelope stamped with a 3-cent stamp, to Dr. Logan Clendening, in care of this paper. The pamphlets are: "Three Weeks' Reducing Diet," "Indigestion and Constipation," "Reducing and Gaining," "Infant Feeding," "Instructions for the Treatment of Diabetes," "Feminine Hygiene" and "The Care of the Hair and Skin."

Home Institute

Bring Out Your Charm

POOR MARJORIE! Unnoticed on the side lines simply because she doesn't know how to get into the swim.

Like every girl she has the makings of a vivid personality, a glowing unforgettable charm that would help her enjoy life more.

But to get more out of life, you must give more. Do your best to amuse people and they'll admire your spirit. Perhaps you are not a wit like Alexander Woollcott. Just watching for your chance and saying "really" at the right moment can be awfully funny sometimes. If the crowd sings, don't hold back because you aren't a Lily Pons. Dance as well as you can—don't be overwhelmed with inferiority feelings because you're not Ginger Rogers.

Learn and remember the tastes of your friends. Drop the newspaper clipping on Clark Gable into the mail for Dorothy, who's a Gable fan. Phone Bob, in case he didn't notice, that there's a radio broadcast on bee-keeping, his hobby.

Tell Bill he carries himself well on the dance floor—praise Helen's taste in dress. They'll both be eager to show you the best side of themselves, make your contacts with them richer.

Our 40-page booklet, "Getting More Out of Life," gives other tips for making your life richer and fuller.

Send 15 cents for our booklet, "Getting More Out of Life," to The Washington Post, Home Institute, 109 West Nineteenth street, New York, N. Y. Write plainly your name, address and the name of booklet.

PLEASANT HOMES

By Elizabeth MacRae Boykin.

BECAUSE we liked flowered rugs and carpets too well and not always so wisely in the nineties, we put them from us with unreasonable distaste during the first two decades of the twentieth century. Now that we've caught our breath, though, we see them once again for what they really are, one of the most cultivated expressions of eighteenth century decorative art from which we borrow generously, gratefully.

Although all flowered rugs did not originate in France of the eighteenth century, it is this place and time that produced their highest development. And it was the Aubusson and Savonnerie rug that stand out as first examples of floral rugs. Incidentally, it was Mme. Pompadour's taste for pink roses and blue ribbon bows and Marie Antoinette's lovely garden hats and pastoral dresses that contributed most of the motifs to the French flowered rugs of the eighteenth century. The Oriental that uses all-over patterns of naturalized flowers with most beauty and distinction is the Kirman, now probably the most favored of Oriental rugs.

Our own American hooked rugs of floral design were probably inspired by French imported rugs. The wealthier colonists in the new country thought nothing of bringing all the nicer things for their home from Europe and Asia. After all, their ships were sailing the seven seas and every shipload brought in bills of goods for wealthy planters as well as for the rich sea captains' families. Then the rest of the ladies of more modest means, but with ingenuity, industry and clever fingers, hooked their rugs in flower designs as much like those of their prosperous neighbors as possible.

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Learn to Dance at 6 or 60 to Retain Youth, Says Expert, Who Illustrates Own Theory

Mrs. Monte Beach, 30-Year Veteran of Ballroom Exercise Has Grace and Verve of a Debutante.

By Ethel Ehlen.
The Post Fashion Editor.

"IF YOU WANT to possess good health, vitality, and grace, and retain your youth, include dancing in your design for living," advises Mrs. Montie Beach, of Houston, Texas, who is in Washington for a short visit. Persons who dance well, also have a pleasing carriage, good posture, and walk and sit gracefully—they know how to relax, they do not slump, either when walking or sitting, this authority contends.

Mrs. Beach knows wherein she speaks as she has been dancing for 30 years and teaching dancing since she was 17. Four years ago she was elected president of the Dancing Masters of America—the first woman ever to hold this important office. As a living exponent of her own theories, that dancing promotes health, eternal youth and a good figure, Mrs. Beach is a splendid example; she looks at least 20 years younger than her actual age, and has a sparkle in her eye and a lightness of step that any debutante would envy.

Dignified Dancing.

"Dancing now is more conservative than it has been in a long time," Mrs. Beach explained. "The cheek to cheek menace, and ungainly hopping steps are conspicious by their absence this season. Orchestra music has influenced this change to a certain extent, and feminine trends in fashion are also largely responsible. Romance in clothes is echoed in the dance steps; for instance, the return of the Viennese waltz and the popularity of the new London waltz, which is a coronation influence.

Should older men and women take up dancing? "By all means," according to Mrs. Beach. "In fact, it is the only form of exercise that is not too violent for persons of 60 years and over," she asserted. "If older people dance gracefully, instead of the ungainly hopping around that many of them affect, dancing is just as important in their lives as it is in the social life of the high school and college student. Dancing is a life-long asset; other accomplishments usually fade with the years."

How to Walk.

When should one start dancing lessons? "Almost as soon as you have learned to walk," advises Mrs. Beach. "Children should be taught simple rhythmic steps, adaptable to their years, to promote poise, self-confidence and good health," she said.

"If you haven't danced for years, or happen to be a person who has never danced very much, this year is an excellent time to start all over again. Dancing steps in the current mode are simple. They are not complicated as they have been in the past. "Dance steps, like the chic spring clothes, are noted for their smart simplicity," Mrs. Beach explained.

Mrs. Beach, who is noted for her graceful carriage and lithe step as well as her impeccable dancing, believes few persons really know how to walk correctly. "I can always tell whether or not a woman is a good dancer by the way she walks," she said. To prove her point, she gave a walking demonstration and explained the technique. This is the way it is done: Throw your head up, your chest out and hold your stomach in. Then walk with long, free stides, in a heel and toe manner, with the weight on the ball of the foot.

MRS. MONTIE BEACH.

In keeping with Mrs. Beach's fondness for poise and grace, she loves color in her wardrobe and very seldom wears black. "Why choose a sombre color, when there are so many gay hues and tints from which to make a choice?" she questioned. When interviewed at the Leroy Thayer Dance Studio, Mrs. Beach was wearing a very attractive bright blue sheer wool frock topped by a seven-eighths length coat of the same color and material, with blue and beige accessories.

Burgundy Wine Shade Popular For Fingernails

Purply Pinks, Soft Thistle Colors Gain Favor for Wear in Spring.

By Carolyn Abbott.

A NEW YORK SHOP recently displayed new shades of nail polish by exhibiting real hands in the show window. Each pair of hands was typed variously as the "baby feminine hand," the "small, chubby hand," "the broad athletic hand" and the "hand with the long, slender fingers." These hands were in continuous action—turning the pages of a book, taking a cigarette from a case, opening a handbag and other movements. Polish shades were recommended for each type of hand.

According to reports from scouts dispatched to places where the smart set gathers, deep, special-occasion polishes are more and more in evidence among the predominating smoky shades. Smart young women can't seem to resist the vivid polishes when they want to look "dressed to the fingertips." They give an assurance of being perfectly turned out that nothing else does.

Smartest of the new deep shades is burgundy, a rich vintage color with a clear, high luster. The vogue for cordial colors is continuing into spring, in the soft misty shades of thistle, the purply pinks and wine, and this is the one deep polish that really harmonizes. Especially smart with all-black, the new burgundy is a grand pick-up with beige and with soft blues and greens, gray and navy. Due to its purple undertones, it gives the hands a whiter gleam than any other deep shade.

Bright polishes show up to advantage only when the nails are long and flawlessly kept—which is a very good thing for the nails! The tendency now is to show a narrow tip of white at the edge of the nail instead of covering the entire tip to give the claw-like look so popular last year.

If the nails are too short to show off a bright polish properly, try giving them a regular course of treatments. Coat the base of the nail with a good brittle nail cream, working it well in with a rotary motion of the opposite thumb. Massage each finger, using your hand cream, and work in the direction of the tip to stimulate circulation. (A thin film of the cream may be spread over the entire hand as well.) Now run a generous bit of brittle nail cream around the cuticle of each nail and up under the nail tip, and slip on loose cotton gloves. Keep them on until every trace of cream is absorbed, at least half an hour, if the treatment is to be really effective.

Snake Skins for Coats.

Paris (U.P.).—Jean Patou uses reptile skins for three-quarter-length coats made o nsoft, loose lines. Water-snake and lizard have been used at this house. New methods of treating the skins make them as soft and workable as a woven fabric.

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DINNER
Tomato soup
Broiled lamb chops
French fried potatoes
Buttered spinach
Hot rolls Butter Mint jelly
Jellied cranberry salad
Coffee Milk

PRUNE AND WALNUT PUDDING.

Remove stones from 1 cup cooked prunes, remove meat from stones and add to prunes with ½ cup prune juice. Add 1 cup boiling water and 1 cup sugar mixed with ¼ teaspoon salt and ¼ teaspoon cinnamon. Bring to boiling point, add 1-3 cup cornstarch mixed with 1-3 cup cold water until smooth, stir and cook until thickened, then cook 10 minutes over hot water. Add 1 tablespoon lemon juice and 1-3 cup shredded walnuts. Mold and chill; 2 egg whites beaten stiff may be added after removing from the range. Walnuts may be omitted.

Perfumed Hands Only.

In the use of perfume, Joan Crawford, movie star, rubs a small amount in the palms of her hands. She never uses it in any other manner.

Garbo Uses Medicine Ball.

Greta Garbo sponsors vigorous exercise with a heavy medicine ball as the ideal way to keep the figure in trim. She exercises in this manner for an hour daily when not working before the cameras.

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Gauguin Pink on Navy . . .
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Second Floor.

For Misses . . .
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in a sheer wool costume with monotone print shirt. Man-tailored pink jacket with gored-front navy skirt. Also in Honey and Brown. 12 to 20. $29.75

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WPA Board Head Is Wed In Arkansas

Marriage to Mrs. Martha Collings Performed in Hot Springs.

Harry Hopkins Best Man for Col. Lawrence Westbrook.

Mrs. Martha Wootton Collings, of Hot Springs, Ark., became the bride yesterday of Col. Lawrence Westbrook, chairman of the National WPA Advisory Board.

The Rev. Marion A. Riggs, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, performed the quiet ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. William Turner Wootton, in Hot Springs.

Mr. Harry Hopkins, national relief administrator, acted as best man. A score of relatives and intimate friends witnessed the nuptials.

The bride wore a white-flowered crepe gown with royal blue sash and corsage of gardenias and lilies of the valley. Mrs. Hopkins, one of her attendants, wore a flowered crepe afternoon dress under a full-length black coat. She had on a tailored Panama hat, banded in back, and wore a corsage of orchids and lilies of the valley.

Following a reception at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Wootton, the couple planned to leave by motor for a trip through Florida and South Carolina to New York. They said they would stop in Little Rock last night to greet Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, there to fill a speaking engagement.

Mrs. Roosevelt's congratulatory telegram contained an invitation to the bridal couple to visit her on their honeymoon.

Col. and Mrs. Westbrook will make their home in Washington after April 1, but plan to spend most of the summer in travel.

Mrs. Westbrook's 8-year-old daughter, Madge Wootton Collings, will join them in Washington next fall. The child is now staying with her grandparents in Hot Springs.

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Bryn Mawr Affair Will Be Held Tonight With Miss Perkins Among Guests.

Among those who have taken boxes for the Bryn Mawr benefit at "Jane Eyre" tonight, are Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Mrs. Howell Moorhead, Mrs. Harry L. Grant, the Secretary of Labor, Miss Frances Perkins, whose daughter Miss Susanna Wilson, attended Bryn Mawr.

Miss Jane Culbertson, who also is a Bryn Mawr alumna, will be among those at the performance, as will Dr. Celia Oppenheimer, Dr. Eleanor Dulles, Senator and Mrs. William Gibbs McAdoo, Admiral and Mrs. Cary T. Grayson, the Counselor of the Italian Embassy and Marchioness Rossi Donghi and Col. and Mrs. E. C. Kelton.

Proceeds of the benefit will go toward the scholarship fund of the Washington Bryn Mawr Club.

Mrs. Cartwright Hostess to Group

Entertains Oklahoma Women at Luncheon.

Mrs. Wilburn Cartwright, wife of Representative Cartwright, of Oklahoma, was hostess Friday at one of the bi-monthly luncheons given by the group of Oklahoma women.

The luncheon was held at the Iron Gate Inn and the featured entertainment was the tea leaf readings. Those present yesterday from the Congressional delegation were Mrs. Jed Johnson, Mrs. Wesley E. Disney, Mrs. Jack Nichols, Mrs. Will Rogers, Mrs. Phil Ferguson, Mrs. R. P. Hill and Mrs. Sam Massingail.

Also Mrs. D. C. McCurtain, Mrs. George Porter, Mrs. Edwin Canham, Mrs. Russell Brown, Mrs. Arthur Pigg, Mrs. Harold Mueller and Mrs. Don Young.

Gen. Craig, Wife To Be Entertained

Will Be Guests Tonight of Pennsylvanians.

The Chief of Staff and Mrs. Malin Craig will be guests of honor of the Pennsylvania State Society's monthly reception and dance in the Willard room at the Willard Hotel at 9 o'clock.

In the receiving line will be Representatives Robert Rich, Harry Haines, Patrick Boland and J. Buell Snyder, all of Pennsylvania, and their wives.

A program of songs by the George Washington University Glee Club will be a feature of the entertainment program.

The Frenchs Visiting Here on Bridal Trip

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. French, jr., of Baltimore, are in Washington on their wedding trip, and are stopping at the Shoreham.

Mr. and Mrs. French were married Sunday at St. Andrew's Church in Baltimore. Mrs. French is the former Miss Alida Mitchell, daughter of Mr. William Edward Mitchell, and Mr. French is the son of Dr. and Mrs. B. S. French. Mrs. French is a graduate of Notre Dame, and Mr. French is a graduate of the University of Maryland.

Announce Birth of Daughter.

Announcement has been received here of the birth of a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Stoner, of Woodstock, Va., on March 19 in Winchester Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Stoner before her marriage was Miss Sada Elizabeth O'Flaherty, and is a frequent visitor in Washington.

Daughters of the House Meet To Organize and Plan Dance

Associated Press Photo.

These are some of the members of the newly organized Daughters of the House, who met for the first time yesterday. They are, left to right, Miss Gladys Kitchens, of Arkansas; Miss Betty Massingate, of Oklahoma, temporary chairman, and Miss Ida Lee Cannon, of Missouri.

Daughters of the House, meeting for the first time yesterday afternoon, formulated a temporary organization and made tentative plans for a spring dance.

The meeting at the George Washington Inn was attended by approximately 40 daughters, nieces and younger sisters of members of the House of Representatives.

Mrs. Albert E. Carter, wife of Representative Carter, of California, who has been instrumental in organizing clubs for wives of new members of Congress, presided at the meeting. Miss Betty Lou Massingale, of Oklahoma, was elected temporary chairman; Gladys Kitchens, of Arkansas, temporary secretary, and a temporary committee of five was appointed to nominate permanent officers.

The committee is comprised of Miss Reba Doughton, of North Carolina, chairman; Miss Jane Mapes, of Michigan; Miss Frances Boykin, of Alabama; Miss Abby Colden, of California, and Miss Elizabeth Mahon, of South Carolina. Officers will be elected at the next meeting on April 5.

The purpose of the society, which was conceived last year toward the end of the second session of Congress, is to bring together new girls in the Congressional group with those who have been here in previous seasons.

NOTES OF SOCIETY

Official and Residential

Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Younker, who have come to Washington from New York City, are at the Shoreham for a brief stay before going to Pinehurst, N. C.

Mr. Jack Hayes has returned from a three-week Caribbean cruise.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Fuly, of Wonsocket, R. I., are at the Hotel Raleigh for an indefinite stay. They plan to make their home in Washington.

Mrs. M. O. Wheeler has arrived from her home in Chicago, Ill., for a visit in Washington and is at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Miss Jane Thach and her brother, Mr. Gordon Thach, of Birmingham, Ala., are in Washington for a brief stay and are stopping at the Shoreham.

Mrs. Heyward Mahon, jr., wife of Representative Mahon, of South Carolina, is entertaining at tea today for the wives of members of the Military Affairs Committe and in honor of Mrs. Lister Hill, whose husband is chairman. Miss Elizabeth Mahon is expecting Miss Annelle Donkle, of Greenville, S. C., to be her guest from Thursday through Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Titus, of Buffalo, N. Y., is spending a week at the Hotel Raleigh.

Mrs. Charles A. Douglas has arrived from her home in Rochester, N. Y., for a visit of several days and is at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Bay State Family Visiting in Capital

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Wadden, of Cambridge, Mass., with Miss Eleanor Wadden and Miss Mary Wadden, are occupying a suite at the Wardman Park Hotel while in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Haskett Forbush, of Peekskill, N. Y., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George R. Cassidy, have gone to Atlantic City, where they will pass a few days before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McKinley, of Harlan, Ky., are at the Hotel Raleigh while in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Scott, of Radmor, Pa., are stopping at the Wardman Park Hotel while in Washington.

Sunrise Concert Patrons Selected

Many Prominent Men and Women Are Chosen.

Persons prominent in Cabinet, Congressional and Capital circles will serve as patrons and patronesses for the Easter sunrise concert of the National Capital Parks Schola Cantorum scheduled for the Sylvan Theater of the Washington Monument Grounds, Easter Sunday at 7 a. m.

The list includes Mr. Harold L. Ickes, Secretary of the Interior; Director of the National Park Service and Mrs. Arno B. Cammerer, Senator and Mrs. Millard E. Tydings, Senator and Mrs. Harry Flood Byrd, Representative and Mrs. Howard W. Smith, Representative and Mrs. Ross Collins, Representative and Mrs. Sol Bloom, Dr. and Mrs. Cloyd Marvin, Mr. and Mrs. C. Melvin Sharp, Dr. and Mrs. Hans Kindler, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cappel, Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Rust, jr., Miss Elizabeth Peeples, Miss Sybil Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Hoover.

The Superintendent of National Capital Parks and Mrs. C. Marshall Finnan will serve as master and mistress of ceremonies.

Ridsdales in South.

Mr. and Mrs. Percival Sheldon Ridsdale are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. Carberry Ritchie at their winter home, Cashell, Port Sewell, Fla. They will go later to Palm Beach for several weeks.

Mrs. Schuman Wed To Edward Reamer

Mr. Edward J. Reamer, of Clifton Terrace, and Mrs. Lillian Schuman, of 1435 Spring road, were married Sunday by Rabbi Harry Silverstone, at a private ceremony at his residence, 1639 Irving street.

The bride has been a resident of this city for a number of years and is connected with the Veterans' Administration.

Mr. Reamer has been a resident of Washington for 25 years and has been in legal practice for a number of years.

The couple will live at 5613 Thirteenth street, in a newly completed apartment house. They plan to spend the Easter holiday in New York City and later in the summer will take a deferred wedding trip by motor to Yellowstone Park.

Returns to Capital.

Mrs. M. J. Kelly has returned to her home at 431 Rittenhouse street after several weeks in St. Petersburg, Fla., and other Southern cities.

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Garden Tour Map Folder Lists Homes

Alexandria Club Sets April 26 to May 1 as 1937 Dates.

Lee's Boyhood House, Rippon Lodge, Among Beauty Spots.

Mrs. Frank M. Dillard, chairman of the annual tour of historic gardens of Virginia, sponsored by the Garden Club of Alexandria, has preparations well under way for the tour this spring which is to be from April 26 to May 1.

A pictorial map, showing the places which will be open during the week, is shown on one side of a folder she has prepared, with a view of the garden at Wellington, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Matheson, on the other.

The house and garden of Robert E. Lee's boyhood home, 607 Oronoco street, Alexandria, will be shown, as will Wellington, Woodlawn, the home of the late Senator Oscar Underwood, now occupied by the Secretary of War and Mrs. Harry Woodring; Rippon Lodge, the oldest house in Virginia, the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Ellis; Hollin Hall, the home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harley P. Wilson, now occupied by Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs. K. R. Truckenmiller; Gunston Hall, occupied by the Louis Hertles, and Ordleigh, the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ord, adjoining Wellington, both George Washington's old river farms.

Assisting Mrs. Dillard on the committee are Mrs. Rathbone Smith and Miss Mary Lindsey. Members of the garden club of which Mrs. Charles Holden is president are cooperating in arrangements for the tour, as they do each year, and will act as hostesses at the various places throughout the week. All of the estates will be open from 9:30 to 6 o'clock each day.

The proceeds are used for the restoration of the grounds and gardens of historic places throughout the State which have been bought by public-spirited organizations for preservation as sites of historic interest.

The first appeal to the Garden Club of Virginia for garden restoration came from Dr. J. A. C. Chandler, president of the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, in 1924. The saving of stately trees planted by Thomas Jefferson at Monticello followed the work at Williamsburg. Next was a request from the Kenmore Association at Fredericksburg to restore the grounds of Kenmore, the home of Betty Washington Lewis, sister of George Washington and the wife of Col. Fielding Lewis, one of the most outstanding patriots of the American Revolution.

After the successful completion of this work, the garden at Stratford, the home of the Lees and the birthplace of Gen. Robert E. Lee, was made to live again. The manse at Staunton, birthplace of Woodrow Wilson, now has its garden as it was in Victorian days. The grounds at the Lee Chapel at Washington and Lee University are also among the completed projects of this department of the Garden Club of Virginia.

Luncheon Given By Ohio Women

Entertain for a Few Guests at Shoreham.

Wives of the Ohio delegation to Congress and a few of their guests met yesterday for luncheon at the Shoreham.

Among those present were Mrs. Charles West, wife of the Undersecretary of the Interior; Mrs. Robert Johns Bulkley, wife of Senator Bulkley, and Mrs. Merlin Hall, Mrs. Harold G. Mosier, Mrs. John McSweeney, Mrs. Byron B. Harlan, Mrs. Frank L. Kloeb, Mrs. Arthur W. Aleshire, Mrs. Brooks Fletcher, Mrs. James G. Polk, Mrs. William R. Thom, Mrs. Michael J. Kirwan, Mrs. Arthur P. Lamneck, Mrs. Compton White, Mrs. Robert Secrest, Mrs. H. K. Claypool and Mrs. Dow W. Harter.

Lecture Scheduled By Janet Richards

Sit-Downs and Spain to Be Discussed Tomorrow.

Miss Janet Richards, at her weekly "Review of Public Questions," at 11 a. m. tomorrow at the Sulgrave Club, will select from the many problems confronting this Nation and the world at large issues that are vital and provocative.

This will include a discussion of "Sit-down Strikes: Can the President Devise a Solution?" "The Mediterranean as a 'Sea of Discord.' Need it Be a Casus Belli?" "Will Communism Win in Spain? If so, What Next?" The usual brief book review will close the lecture.

To Entertain at Tea.

Miss Marie E. Rice, regent of Abigail Hartman Rice Chapter of the D. A. R., entertained the members of her chapter at a tea from 4 to 6 o'clock yesterday at her home, 2845 Twenty-ninth street. Mrs. Clayton E. Emig, founder of thec hapter, will pour, and the past regents of the chapter, Mrs. Frank Morrison, Mrs. William D. Leetch, Mrs. M. R. Spengler, Miss Ramona J. Newman and Mrs. E. W. Richardson, will assist.

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Mrs. Bowerman Memorial Interests Many Women

Twentieth Century Club Establishing Library Employe Loan Fund as Tribute to Late Wife of Librarian.

Widespread interest among the women of Washington is being taken in the memorial fund for Mrs. George F. Bowerman, wife of the librarian of the Washington Library, established by the Twentieth Century Club, of which Mrs. Bowerman was a leader and a president for a number of years. The fund will be used as loan fund for the employes of the library.

A card party will be held April 9 at the Raleigh Hotel for the benefit of the fund. Cakes, candy and other articles will be sold.

Washington clubwomen were asked to co-operate in the "sesquicentennial celebration of the U. S. Constitution" by Representative Sol Bloom, of New York, who is in charge of the celebration, at the meeting of the District of Columbia Federation of Women's Club at the Roosevelt Hotel yesterday. Representative Bloom traced the history of the Constitution and what it means to the people of the United States, and also outlined the sesquicentennial plans.

The legislation in which the members of the District of Columbia federation are interested was outlined by the chairman of legislation, Mrs. E. Morgan Pryse. Mrs. Pryse told of the status of various bills and the activities of her committee in co-operation with the clubs.

Mrs. Lloyd A. Morrison, chairman of the department of fine arts, announced that Mrs. Charles D. Walcott has presented an additional gift of $10 as a prize at the State art contest, to be held April 9 to 20 in the National Gallery of Art. Mrs. Roberta Campbell Lawson, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, leads the list of patronesses and will be present at the exhibition. Mrs. Ernest H. Daniels is chairman of patronesses.

Mrs. Lloyd W. Biddle, president of the D. C. federation, presided at the meeting and introduced the speaker and also gave a brief report on the work of the D. C. federation.

A group of Washington newspaperwomen were guests of honor at the dinner given by the board of directors of the Washington branch of the American Association of University Women last night, Mrs. Richard Hogue, president of the Washington branch, presided at the dinner. Mrs. Hogue has just returned from the national convention of the A. A. U. W. in Savannah, Ga., and told of some of the discussions, along the lines of news and publicity which took place at the convention.

Before the 'news party," Walter E. Myer, director of the Civic Education Service, spoke on current events. Mrs. Lynn E. Edminister was hostess for the tea which preceded Mr. Myer's lecture. She was assisted by Miss Florence B. Currie, Miss Rose Myrtle Richardson, Miss Marguerite E. Smith, Miss Ada Neal Hampton, Miss Carlee Parker, Miss Ruth McGowan. Miss Mary K. Marshall, Mrs. David R. Keiner, Mrs. Charles Haslep and Mrs. Howard Oldham.

The literary section of the Twentieth Century Club met last night at the Y. W. C. A. Mr. Richard Stinson read selections from "The Burning City," by Stephen Vincent Benet; "Strange Holiness," by Robert P. Tristam Coffin, and "Collected Poems," by John Galsworthy. Mrs. Ellery C. Stowell reviewed Phillip Guedalla's "One Hundred Years" and Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley reviewed G. K. Chesterton's "Autobiography."

Miss Gertrude Kinsley will be hostess to the Washington Alumnae Chapter of Beta Sigma Omicorn at the Westchester tonight. Officers will be elected.

The poetry clinic, sponsored by the D. C. Federation of Women's Clubs, and conducted by Mrs. Inez Sheldon Tyler, poetry chairman, will hold its semimonthly meeting at the Hotel Roosevelt, from 4 to 6 p. m. today. All persons interested in poetry are cordially invited to attend.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the General Conference recently has been organized in Takoma Park, the members being the wives of leaders of the General Conference located in Takoma Park.

Mrs. J. Lamar McElhaney, wife of the president of the World's General Conference, was elected president of the new organization, and Mrs. Henry T. Elliott, wife of the secretary, was elected secretary-treasurer.

Members were divided into three groups, Mrs. Heber H. Votaw being chosen as leader of the foreign mission group; Mrs. Millward C. Taft, leader of the social and religious activities group, and Mrs. Albert W. Peterson leader of the educational advancement group.

The meetings of the organization which fills a long-felt need will be held once each month.

In the Club World Today.

Class in Public Speaking, Congressional Club, Sixteenth and U streets northwest., 11 a. m.

Buffet Luncheon, Woman's National Press Club, 1 p. m. Willard.

Book Hour, Woman's City Club, 5 p. m.

Luncheon, Kappa Beta Pi Legal Sorority, 12:15 p. m. Willard.

Annual Donor Banquet, Washington Chapter of the Hadassah, Mayflower Hotel.

Meeting Capt. Wrndell Wolfe Chapter D. A. R. at the home of Mrs. W. H. Lorimer, 3304 Rittenhouse street, 8 p. m.

Meeting Chapter B. P. E. O. Sisterhood at the home of Mrs. Louis H. Roddis, 2230 California street, 12:30 p. m.

Countess Tolstoy To Lecture Here

Will Speak April 23 at Washington Club to Aid Children.

Countess Alexandra Tolstoy, daughter and private secretary to Russia's great man of letters, Count Leo Tolstoy, will give a lecture at the Washington Club Friday evening, April 23. Proceeds will go to the local branch of the Russian Children's Welfare Society.

The Countess has chosen for her subject, "Tolstoy and Writers," to be illustrated with slides of her father's estate in Russia, "Iasnaia Poliana," the library where he worked, the meadows he so dearly loved.

When the revolution came, all the Countess' family possessions were seized and she herself taken to a prison camp for alleged counter-revolutionary plotting. While in prison, she started a school for the prisoners, the success of which finally resulted in her release. The Soviets furnished her with money with which to sustain three Tolstoy museums and to start a kindergarten. Later the Countess left Russia and went to Japan, where she lived until 1931, and where she wrote her two famous books, "The Tragedy of Tolstoy," and "I Worked for the Soviets."

Since coming to America, where she says she plans to spend the rest of her days, she has given lectures in practically every major city.

Officers of the local society, under whose auspices the lecture is being given, are Mme. Marie Zalipsky, president; Mrs. J. J. Mack, vice president; Mrs. Alexander I. Krynitsky, treasurer, and Mme. Wsevolod L. Joukowsky, secretary.

Many Are Visiting City Over Easter

The Wilbur H. Peters Are Staying at Shoreham.

The Easter holiday is bringing many visitors to Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur H. Peter and their daughter, Miss Charlottee Peter, of Lakewood, Ohio, are stopping at the Shoreham.

Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Traynor and their two children, Thomas, jr., and Alice Traynor, of New York City, also are spending a few days at the Shoreham.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward John Grimes will return in a few days to their home in Minneapolis after bringing their daughter, Gloria Grimes, to Washington for Easter. They are stopping at the Shoreham.

Mr. and Mrs. Edge Going to Honolulu

Mrs. Walter Evans Edge, wife of the former United States Ambassador to France, and Miss Camilla Edge, have returned to Washington after a short stay at the Ambassador Hotel in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Edge will sail shortly for a visit to Bermuda, California and Honolulu. They have taken a house in the latter place.

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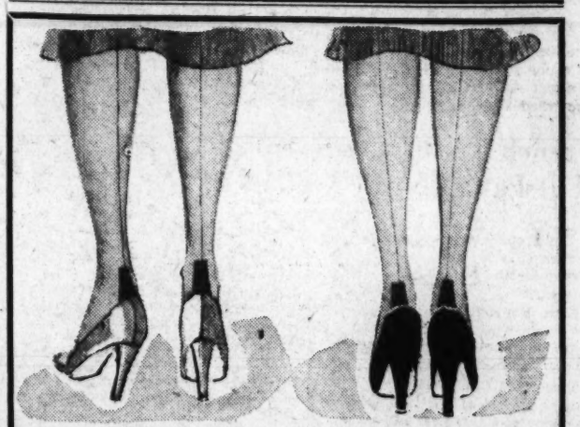

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English Speaking Union Entertains Members of British Parliament On Tour of America at Luncheon at Willard; Lady Marler Present

Guests of Honor Include Earl of Mansfield, Lord Phillimore, Mr. Victor Raikes, Mrs. Helen Whitney Cass and Dr. and Mrs. Wallace McClure.

By Jessie Ash Arndt.

Lady Marler, wife of the Minister of Canada, was among the guests at the luncheon given yesterday at the Willard by the English Speaking Union in honor of the group of Parliament members from Great Britain who are on a tour of America.

Dr. C. A. Richmond presided because the president of the society, former Ambassador A. B. Houghton, who has been away, had not expected to be able to return in time for the occasion. He flew back from the Southwest, however, and he and Mrs. Houghton were both present. Others at the head table were the guests of honor, the Earl of Mansfield, Lord Phillimore nad Mr. Victor Raikes, also Mrs. Helen Whitney Cass, widow of Brig. Gen. Walter Cass, who is here from Australia on a lecture tour; Dr. and Mrs. Wallace McClure and Mrs. Gibson Fahnestock, who wore a becoming costume of gray.

At the table with Lady Marler and Miss Willa Magee, of the Canadian Legation, were Mr. Samuel Rinaker, president of the English Speaking Union in Chicago, Mrs. Rinaker and their son, Mr. Samuel Rinaker, who are here on their way home from Florida, and Mrs. Marinus Willett. The Rinakers, whose home, The Lilacs, adjoins Apple Green, the estate of Judge and Mrs. Clarence Norton Goodwin at Lake Forest, Ill., have visited the Goodwins on other trips to Washington and were their guests at luncheon Sunday.

Mrs. Goodwin also was present, sitting at a table with Baroness von Below, Mrs. H. G. Meem, Mrs. Royal S. McKenna and Mr. Wilbur Hubbard. Among others present were Miss Dorothy Sollers in a frock of thistle crepe with brown hat and accessories; Mrs. Joseph Cecil, the Assistant Naval Attache of the British Embassy, Commander Mark-Wardlaw; the Commercial Secretary, Mr. Leander McCormick-Goodhart; the Commercial Counselor and Mrs. H. O. Chalkey, Mrs. Redfield Vose, wearing a becoming blue velvet hat with a veil; Mrs. J. Hamilton Lewis, Mrs. Huntington Williams, Dr. and Mrs. William Jennings Price, at the same table with Mr. Wade H. Ellis, Col. Wade Cooper and his son, Mr. Charles Cooper; Mrs. Hugh Southgate, Mr. Elwood Street, Miss Margaret Delano Gage, Miss Bertha Chinn, Mrs. R. H. Kelton, Mrs. Frank Mahin, Mrs. John Meehan, Mr. Lincoln O'Brien and Mrs. Leland Webb.

Harris & Ewing.

With Lady Marler, wife of the Minister of Canada at the luncheon of the English Speaking Union yesterday, at the Willard, were (left to right), Mr. Samuel Rinaker, son of the president of the English Speaking Union in Chicago; his mother, Mrs. Samuel Rinaker; Mr. Rinaker and Miss Willa Magee, of the Canadian Legation. Lady Marler, seated at the right of Mr. Rinaker, was wearing a brown costume with a plaid taffeta blouse.

Walter R. Tuckermans Return From Sojourn at Palm Beach

Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman have returned from Palm Beach, where they visited Col. and Mrs. Dorsey Cullen, of Richmond, at their home there, stopping in Raleigh, N. C., on their return as guests of the former Solicitor General and Mrs. Crawford Biggs. Mrs. Tuckerman's sister, Countess de Castellane, who went to Florida a week after they did, is the guest of Mrs. Henry Tilford at Sarasota and will remain a week longer.

Dinners were given for them in Palm Beach by Col. and Mrs. Cullen, Mr. and Mrs. William McMaster Mills, former Washingtonians, and Capt. and Mrs. John H. Gibbons and Mrs. Harry W. Brown, who are spending the winter there.

Luncheons in their honor were given by Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Hadden, Mr. and Mrs. Terry West and Mrs. William Proctor, and a tea by Dr. and Mrs. Leland Eggleston Cofer. They were among the Washingtonians present last Monday at the wedding of Miss Cornelia Drake and Mr. James Lewis Karrick.

Among coming functions are the "at home" for which Mrs. J. Hamilton Lewis has issued cards on March 27; the luncheon to be given by Mrs. Emlen Knight Davies on March 31 and a tea for which Mrs. Jesse Jones has issued invitations on April 3.

Miss Stokes Widely Entertained During Recent Visit in New York

Miss Olivia Stokes has returned from New York City, where she spent several days and was widely entertained. Friday night she attended a party given by Miss Marvin Breckinridge at her studio—an explorers' party—where the guests sat about on the floor and related adventures in far parts of the world.

Miss Breckinridge showed slides of scenes in Africa, taken when she was with the Stokes on a trip there, and presented an amusing discussion of the places they visited in a take-off on travel lectures. Mr. Philip Crowe, a member of the company, told of hunting big game in Indo-China.

Among the guests were also Mr. Robert van Royen, son of the former Netherlands Minister here, and former Representative Isabella Greenway and her daughter, Mrs. Charles Breasted.

Miss Stokes, who is on the committee for the Bryn Mawr Club's benefit at tonight's performance of "Jane Eyre," starring Katharine Hepburn, a Bryn Mawr graduate, returned to Washington to be present for the occasion. Had it not been for the play, she would have remained in New York to attend the marriage today of Miss Christine Paschall Davis, daughter of our Ambassador at Large and Mrs. Norman H. Davis, to Mr. Robert Whiton Stuart.

Mr. Lawrence M. C. Smith, of Washington, who is to serve as best man, is in New York, accompanied by Mrs. Smith, for the wedding, and among former Washingtonians who will be present will be Mr. I. N. P. Stokes, Mr. Gibbs Sherrill and Mr. Webb Trimble.

Prince and Princess Sapieha, cousins of the Ambassador of Poland, Count Jerzy Potocki, are here for a brief visit on a tour of this country. They are staying at the Carlton and were guests of the Ambassador yesterday at luncheon and also at a small dinner at the embassy.

Countess Potocka still is in Virginia, but expects to return to the Capital for Easter. The Ambassador's brother, Count Alfred Potocki, and his mother, Countess Potocka, who sailed last week for Europe after a visit of some weeks in America, will spend Easter in Paris and go from there to Lancut, their estate in Poland.

The Ambassador of Japan and Mme. Saito will leave Washington Tuesday morning, March 30, for New York, where they will be guests of honor at the annual dinner of the Japan Society that evening at the Waldorf Astoria. They will be accompanied by Mr. S. Kondo, newly appointed attache of the embassy who recently arrived in Washington.

French Training Ship Head Will Pay Official Calls Here

The French training ship the Jeanne d'Arc arrived in Baltimore Harbor early yesterday morning. Already many plans have been completed for the entertainment to take place during the week the ship is in port.

Capt. Henri Latham, the commanding officer, after being received and entertained by Mayor Jackson of Baltimore and Gov. Nice of Maryland, will come to Washington to make formal calls upon the various officials of the National Government.

Tomorrow the Chief of Naval Operations, Admiral William D. Leahy, will be host at a luncheon at the Pan-American Room of the Mayflower in honor of Capt. Latham and the officers of his staff. Thursday, Capt. Latham will call on the superintendent of the Naval Academy, Rear Admiral David Foote Sellers, after which he will entertain at luncheon aboard the Jeanne d'Arc in honor of Admiral Sellers and Gov. Nice. That same afternoon Admiral Leahy will entertain at a tea and reception for the visitors in the Chinese Room of the Mayflower.

Saturday Capt. Latham and his staff will be the luncheon guests of Admiral Sellers after which they will make an inspection tour of the Academy. That afternoon and evening the French middies will be the guests of the Annapolis midshipmen. The Jeanne d'Arc will sail for home on April 1.

Mrs. Gilbert M. Hitchcock has returned from a visit in Florida.

Representative and Mrs. John Taber, of New York, have as their guests at the Wardman Park Hotel their son, Mr. Charles Taber, and Jr. Bill Chase, of New York.

Mrs. William H. Larrabee, wife of Representative Larrabee, has left by motor for her home in New Palestine, Ind. She will be gone about ten days.

Mrs. Frank R. Curtis is a guest at the Vassar Club in the New Weston Hotel during her stay in New York.

The Air Attache of the Chilean Embassy and Senora de Puga are entertaining at a cocktail party in their apartment on Massachusetts avenue today.

The Minister of the Netherlands and Mme. van Haersma de With will leave about April 10 for Havana, where the Minister also is accredited. They will visit California and Panama before returning to Washington in May.

The newly appointed Counselor of the Legation, Count van Rechteren Limpurg, who will replace the retiring Counselor, Baron van Breugel Douglas, is staying at the Mayflower. His wife will join him in about a month.

A. A. A. to Honor Dr. Hans Luther

Rep. Knutsen, Donna de Suvich and Frau Scholz Also to Be Guests.

The Ambassador of Germany, Dr. Hans Luther, and Representative Harold Knutsen, of Minnesota, as well as Donna Matilde de Suvich, wife of the Italian Ambassador, and Frau Herbert Scholz, wife of the Counselor of the German Embassy, will be guests of honor at the luncheon of the safety committee of the American Automobile Association tomorrow afternoon at the Sulgrave Club.

Mrs. George C. Thorpe, chairman of the committee, has announced the program of the meeting will be introduced by a film of recently completed European highways. A discussion of European traffic problems by Mrs. Wilbur J. Carr, wife of the Assistant Secretary of State; Capt. Rhoda Milliken and Mrs. Laurence Benet, who for 30 years was a resident of Paris, will follow the picture.

Additional guests at the luncheon will be Mrs. William S. Culbertson, Mrs. Oscar Coolican, Mrs. Emerson Howe, Mrs. Carlos del Mar, Mrs. Lothrop Stoddard, Mrs. Russell Singer, Mrs. A. J. Montgomery and Mrs. Burton W. Marsh.

Mr. Avery Engaged To Miss Goldman

Mr. and Mrs. Mayer Leon Goldman, of Baltimore and New Orleans, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Elinor Dixon, to Mr. Isaac Marion Avery, of Morganton, N. C.

Miss Goldman is a graduate of Barnard College, Columbia University, and is employed in the national office of the American Chemical Society in Washington. Mr. Avery is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Melvin Avery, of Morganton, N. C., and has been for a number of years on the staff at the White House.

The wedding will take place at the Cathedral of the Incarnation in Baltimore on April 2. The couple will reside in Washington.

Women Hear Newsman.

Democratic women and their friends yesterday heard Harold B. Hinton, of the New York Times Washington Bureau, discuss current events at the weekly forum luncheon of the Woman's National Democratic Club.

At the head table with the guest speaker were Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard, president of the club; Mrs. Hinton, Miss Eleanor Connolly, Mrs. Bennet Champ Clark, Mrs. McCeney Wurlich and Mrs. Arthur Chichester.

Mrs. Emil Hurja, Mrs. Carl Ristine, Mrs. Edward V. Izac and Mrs. Benjamin King were hostesses.

Here for Spring Vacation.

Miss Jehanne Elliott Burch, who is enrolled in the special course for college women at the Katharine Gibbs School, in New York, is spending her spring vacation with her father, Mr. Preston Burch, of 3111 Sixteenth street. She will resume her courses March 30.

Engagement Broken.

Dr. and Mrs. John McMullen announce that the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret McMullen, to Mr. Otis T. Wingo, has been broken.

Marriage Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Edelen Mudd, of Winchester, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Jane Burke, to Mr. John Currie Richmond, of Memphis, in the rectory of Corpus Christi Church, Baltimore, Saturday, March 13.

Mrs. Charles S. Eisinger was guest of honor at a St. Patrick's Day luncheon given at the Highlands.

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THE MERRY WHIRL

By Marylyn Reeve.

Tall, red-headed Ben Burch and Mary Lou Young were dancing at the Pall Mall the other evening. The young lady was in black crepe, with a black velvet band quaintly tied around her neck and her curls piled high on top of her head.

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The way new cars are pouring into the Cremen family these days quite takes one's breath. Jack, young son of the family, after dashing about thither and yon in a swanky eel-gray coupe of the larger and longer variety (you know we never mention names), has had a change of heart and now sits at the wheel of a smart little runabout, black with white tires, and oodles of chromium gadgets on it.

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Mary Ellen, whose marriage to Jim Carr has been settled, was surprised delightfully one evening not so long ago when she and her future husband stepped out of her home and found waiting at the curb a huge, shining motor—gray and outfitted with the latest thing in automotive pulchritude—all—every bit Mary Ellen's.

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Marta Trucco, briskly walking up Connecticut avenue, had one of the best-looking spring outfits we have yet seen. Her coat was of gun metal broadcloth trimmed with smoky fox, fashioned in a high ripple collar. Her black hat was a tricky little affair, flaring up and out in the front.

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George Bucheister, in his sporty little roadster, was tearing down Madison place in the morning—surely he was bent on catching a train, as we could hear no fire engines in the offing.

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Sibilla Skidelsky is back again from a trip to New York. We might add she brought with her a stunning new costume, one of those lovely Paris creations that practically make your mouth Water. It is a navy blue cape suit with bright brass buttons down the front. New York seems to have a fatal fascination for this young lady as she is going back there about April 1. This time we wager she will get a hat to go with her new costume.

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Word from Kaye and Jim Hughes, who at the time of writing were in Nanking, says they are about to move on to different fields. They expect soon to be on their way to Hankow, with stopovers at Wuhu and Kukiang. Kaye is looking forward to it, even though the two places have a total foreign population of about six each. But then Kaye has been studying Chinese and can talk to the best of them—no wonder she gets along so beautifully in the East.

Elsie Strauss Is Wed To A. Y. Cowen, of D.C.

The marriage of Miss Elsie Strauss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Strauss, of Germany, and Mr. A. Y. Cowen, of this city, took place yesterday morning in the court chambers of Judge Robert E. Mattingly.

After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Cowen will make their home at 3500 Fourteenth street.

To Reside in Baltimore.

Mrs. Julien Jaquelin Mason and her daughter, Mrs. Mason Raynsford, who spent the autumn and winter in Florida, have taken an apartment for the spring at the Wyman Park, in Baltimore. Mrs. Mason formerly resided in New York and later came to Washington, where Mrs. Raynsford made her debut several seasons ago.

Arrive in Capital.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sproul, of Scarsdale, N. Y., arrived in Washington yesterday and are spending a few days here at the Carlton Hotel.

Mrs. George Ferdinand Becker, of 1416 Thirty-third street, has loaned her drawing room for two lectures to be given by Miss Anna Maud Hallan on Monday and Tuesday evenings at 8 o'clock.

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Congress Wives Take Up Sports

Swimming and Archery Are Included on Program of 75th Club.

Swimming and archery will engage the attention of the Seventy-fifth Congressional Club, in a series of Wednesday afternoon meetings at the Shoreham Hotel.

The Seventy-fifth Congressional Club consists of wives of first-term Congressional members. They will meet at the Venetian Pool of the Shoreham at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday for swimming and at the Shoreham Terrace gardens at 3:30 p. m. for the archery. Mrs. Edward V. Izac, wife of Representative Izac, of California, and Mrs. John Murdock, wife of Representative Murdock, of Arizona, have volunteered their services to teach both sports. Mrs. Murdock has been a teacher of physical education in charge of archery for ten years at the Phoenix Junior College, and during this time her team has won the national intercollegiate championship. Mrs. Harold G. Mosier, wife of Representative Mosier, of Ohio, is in charge of arrangements for the Wednesday afternoon events, of which this week's is the first.

Ball of Nations Sponsors Listed

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Forty nations are represented on the list of honorary patronesses for the Ball of the Nations, emphasizing the international character of this event which will usher in Easter week, Monday evening, March 29, at the Mayflower.

Given under the auspices of the Ball of Nations advisory committee of the American University, of which Henry L. Stimson, former Secretary of State, is chairman, proceeds will go to the fellowship fund to bring foreign students here for a year or more of study.

Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, chairman of the ball committee, announces the following subscribers among the diplomatic corps, official and residential society:

The Ambassador of Great Britain and Lady Lindsay, the Soviet Ambassador and Mme. Troyanovsky, the Ambassador of Mexico and Senora de Castillo Najera, the Minister of Denmark and Mme. Wadsted, the Minister of the Union of South Africa and Mrs. Close, the Minister of Paraguay and Senora de Busk Codas, the Minister of Bolivia and Senora de Guachalla, the Counselor of the German Embassy and Frau Thomsen, the Assistant Naval Attache of the Brazilian Embassy and Mme. Reis, Mr. Michal Budny, Attache of the Polish Embassy; Senator William Gibbs McAdoo, Senator Theodore F. Green, Mrs. Cary T. Grayson and Dr. Leo S. Rowe, Director General of the Pan-American Union.

Also Mrs. Copley Amory, Mrs. Chester Allen Amos, of Alexandria; Mr. Hiram Bingham, Mr. Russell Cook, Mrs. Frederick M. Davenport, Mrs. John Allan Dougherty, Mrs. Walter E. Edge, Mr. Harry Flemming, of New York City; Mrs. Ernest S. Griffith, Mrs. D. Lawrence Groner, Miss Bell Gurnee, Mrs. Stokes Halkett, Mrs. Thomas C. Hart, Dr. Henry B. Hazard, Mrs. Hennen Jennings, Mr. Irwin B. Laughlin, Mr. David Lawrence, Mrs. Sidney Kent Legare, Capt. William L. Ritchie, Prof. Catheryn Seckler-Hudson, Mrs. Alva B. See, Dr. and Mrs. Ellery C. Stowell and Miss Isabella C. Wells.

Safety Committee Meeting Is Slated

German Ambassador Listed Among Honor Guests.

The German Ambassador, Herr Hans Luther, Mme. de Suvich, wife of the Italian Ambassador, Frau Herbert Scholz, wife of the Counsellor of the German Embassy, and Congressman Harold Knutsen, of Minnesota, will be the guests of honor of the women's safety committee of the American Automobile Association, tomorrow, at the Sulgrave Club.

Among additional guests expected are Mrs. William Culbertson, Mrs. Lothrop Stoddard, Mrs. Carlos Del Mar and Mrs. Emerson Howe.

The meeting, which precedes the luncheon, will be devoted to the subject of "European Traffic Problems and Their Solution."

Miss Esther Wolfert Visiting Sister Here

Miss Esther Wolfert, who will be a bridesmaid in the wedding of her sister, Miss Dorothy Wolfert, 3019 Ellicott street, to Mr. William J. Carmack March 27, has arrived here from Tecumseh, Nebr., accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Chris Wolfer, to visit the bride-to-be.

The ceremony will be performed at Christ Lutheran Church at 4 o'clock March 27 by the Rev. J. Frederic Wenchel. Mr. John W. D. Fowler will be best man.

Headley-Tavenner Marriage Revealed

Mother Announces Wedding, March 13, in Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O. Tavenner have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Anna Elizabeth Tavenner, to Mr. Andrew Gressett Headley, son of Mrs. A. B. Headley and the late Mr. Headley, of Lake, Va., which took place March 13 in St. John's Church in Georgetown.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. F. Bland Tucker. The bride was attended by Miss Muriel Murphy as maid of honor and the bridesmaids were Miss Mildred Tavenner and Miss Virginia Headley. Little Miss Patricia Ann Brooks was flower girl.

Mr. Sewell Headley acted as best man for his brother. The ushers were Mr. Frank May, Mr. George Weide, Mr. Jennings Rice and Mr. Albert Pisani.

After the wedding trip Mr. Headley and his bride will make their home in Washington.

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BROOKS—BETTER SUITS and COATS—SECOND FLOOR

Army Engineers' Boat Stranded on Sand Bar

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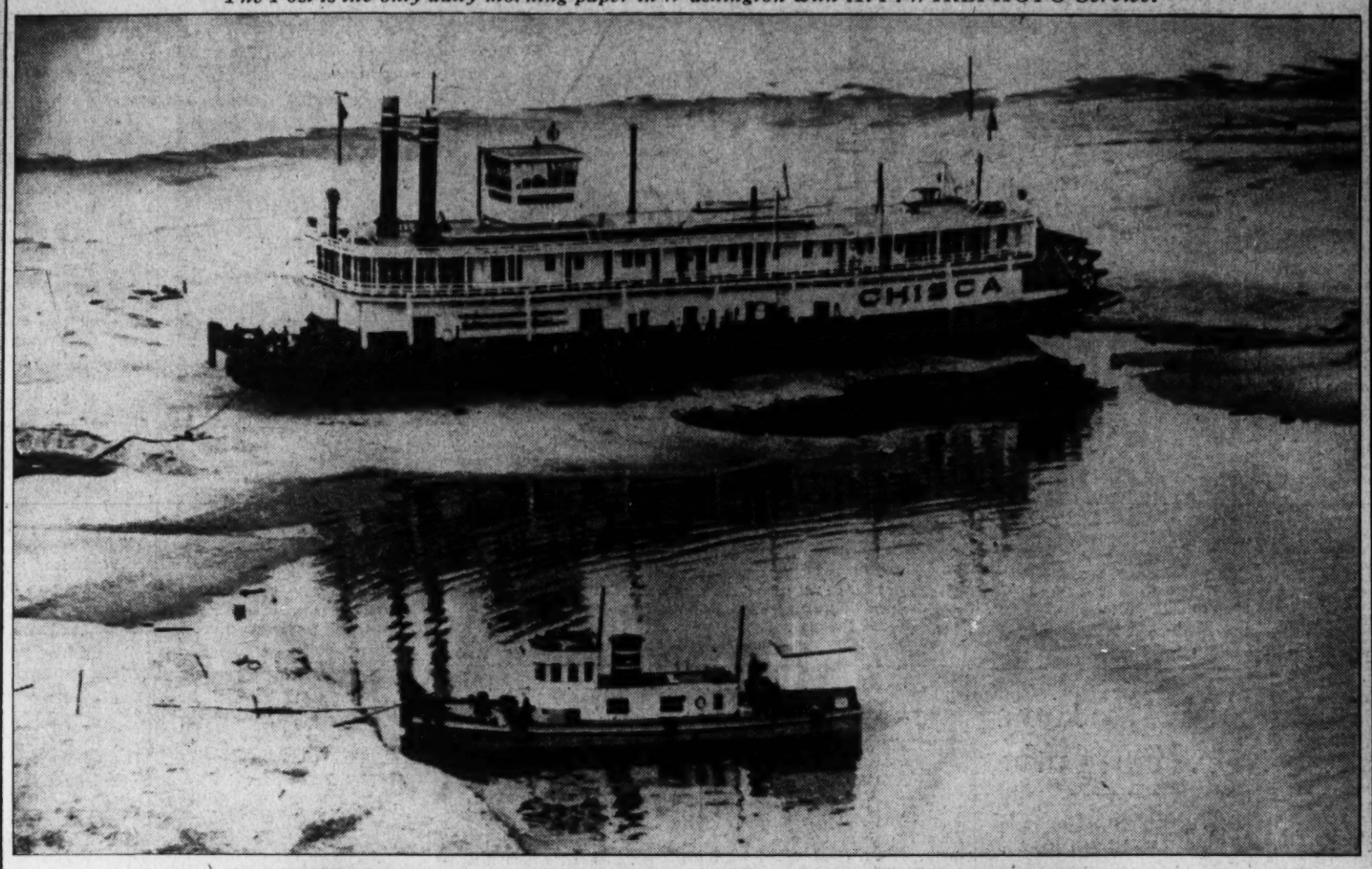
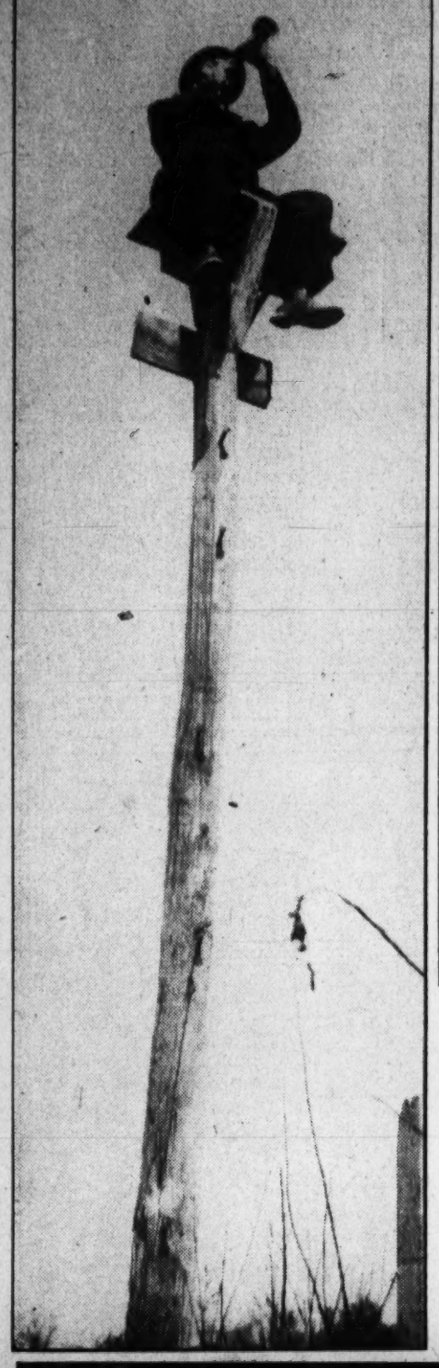


Associated Press Photo.

GROUNDED. The Chisca, of Army Engineers fleet, high and dry on sandbar when Mississippi receded.

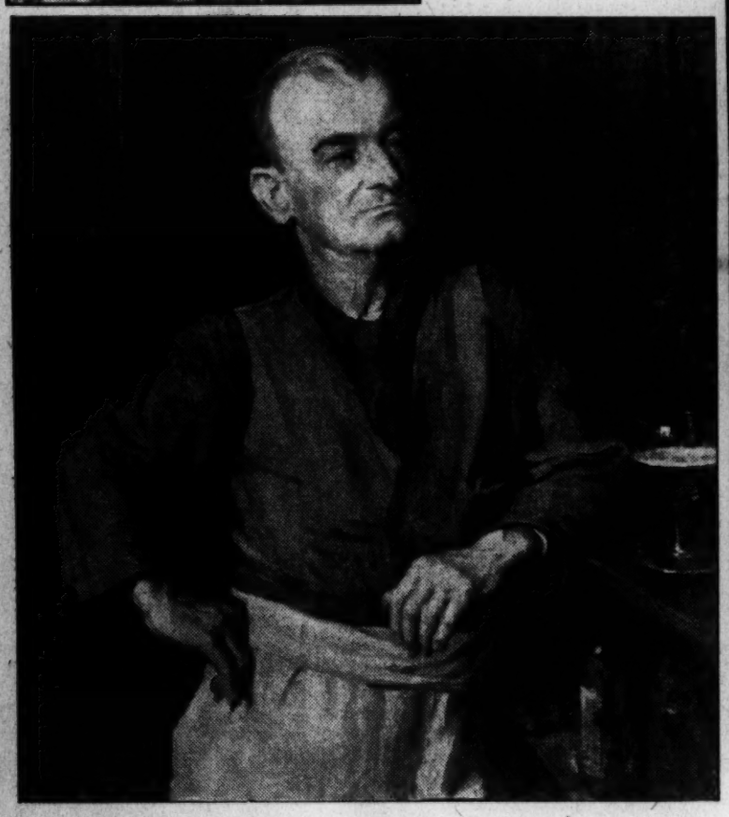


Wide World Photo.

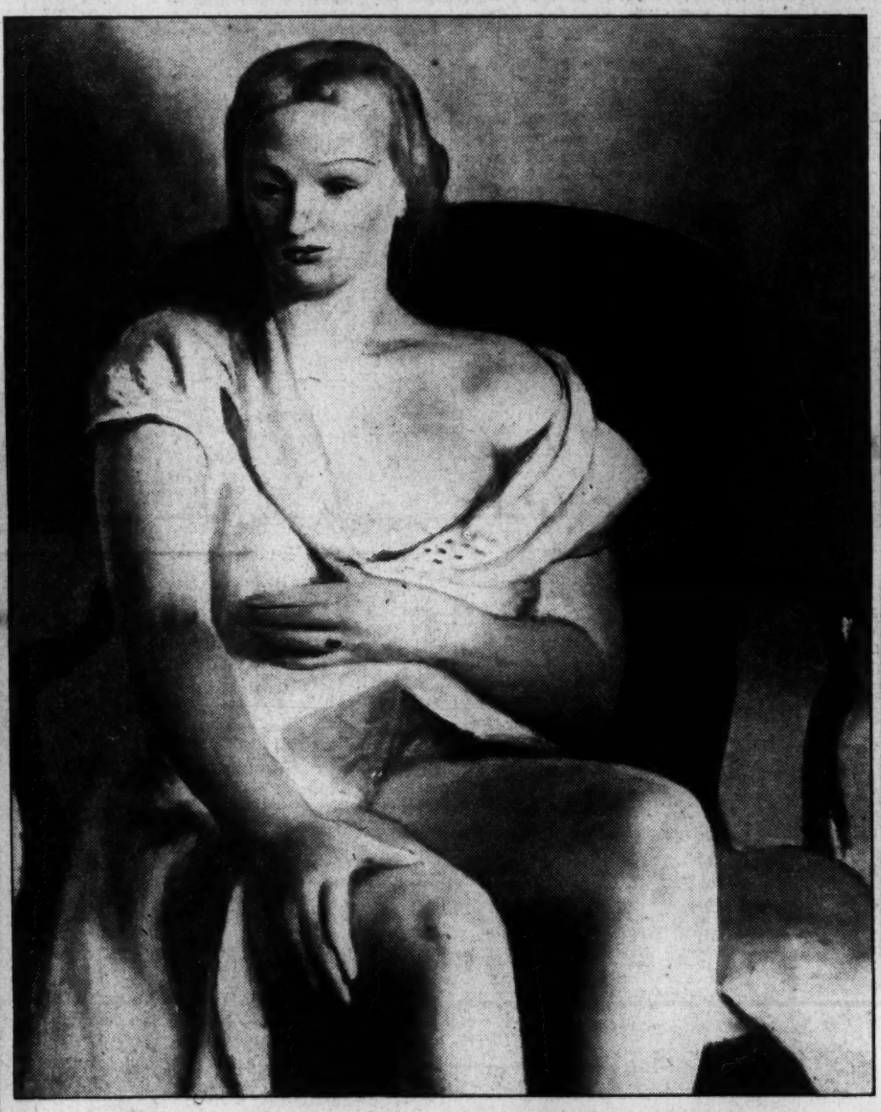
VILLAGE BUGLER. At Baxter, Tenn., Charlie Hughes celebrated his thirteenth year of bugle blowing by sounding his horn from atop this chestnut pole. He started his stunt in March, 1924, and at 6 o'clock every morning since then he has climbed this pole for his morning's blow. He claims the bugle blowing is good for his chest, and the neighbors all agree.

Wide World Photo.

FOR SAFE FLYING. To improve the safety rating at Floyd Bennett Flying Field, city officials dynamite this chimney on the outskirts of the field.



"SNAKEY," by **BERNARD KEYES,** awarded fourth Clark prize.



"MEDITATION,"
by
GUY PENNE DU BOISE,
awarded second Clark prize.

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

A SPLIT RAIL. Near Union City, Ga., an engine hauling a mixed train encountered a split rail and took a nose dive, leaving six box cars in crazy-quilt fashion. One person was injured.

"CAPE COD AFTERNOON," by **EDWARD HOPPER.**
This painting was awarded the Corcoran Gold Medal and the first William A. Clark prize of $2,000 at the fifteenth biennial exhibition of American oil paintings at the Corco ran Gallery of Art. Other prize paintings are reproduced on this page.

"BOXHOLDER NO. 27," by **FRANCIS SPEIGHT,** awarded third Clark prize.

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**** X WASHINGTON: TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1937 19

Nats Beat Red Sox, 4-1, for Third Straight as Appleton Stars

Investigation Staves Off WPA Rally, Wins Title, 34 to 30

New A.A.U. Kings Lead Throughout

Hoover Eagerly Takes Post Trophy for His G-Men.

By John R. Vosburgh.

As brisk and businesslike as a squad of Federal agents, a basketball detachment from F. B. I. headquarters out-shot the District's WPA forces last night at Tech High to win the D. C. A. A. U. unlimited championship after some stubborn resistance, 34 to 30.

Among the 1,800 spectators to watch the spectacular shot-making duel was Chief G-Man J. Edgar Hoover, who smilingly received the towering Washington Post cup, emblematic of the city title, after the game. Commissioner George E. Allen was not on hand to see his WPA men fade out of the tournament, being detained at a dinner given in his honor, but the Hoover satisfaction was not in the least diluted by this turn of events.

The G-men took to the WPA trail shortly after the Heurich Senate Beermen had breezed to another Post trophy and the 145-pound class A. A. U. crown with a 56-21 conquest of an outclassed Department of Agriculture team.

Dean Scores 13 Points.

In sharp contrast to this opening travesty was the F. B. I.-WPA conflict, although the G-men seemed to have the goods on almost everybody WPA, but Lavelle (Dopey) Dean, the former Eastern High All-East forward. The lanky Mr. Dean was a better shot than any of the Federal men and even the F. B. I. followers roared in some admiration as he plunked through 13 points, including five baskets of the long-distance variety.

Investigation held the lead from start to finish and, with about four minutes to play, held what appeared to be an insurmountable lead of 34-22. At this juncture Bobby Lucas, who was playing around town long before Mr. Hoover thought of having a basketball team, broke the runaway with a basket and Dean sank one of his Big Bertha specialties from mid-floor.

Bill Noonan, former George Washington and Eastern beanpole, came through with two baskets in a row under the hoop to cut the lead to 34-30, with two minutes to play, but Coach Ed Colliflower, of Investigation, quickly reinserted the former Duke standout, Herbie Thompson and the G-men went into a time-killing game which found the score unchanged at the finish.

Refereeing Poor.

Conspicuous throughout was some frowsy refereeing, which caused considerable unfavorable comment from the sidelines as the teams fought down the homestretch.

Fighting a brilliant game for WPA was Dean's Eastern High teammate, Reds Scheible, but both his floor game, Dean's great shooting and the tossing of Lucas and Noonan couldn't make up that 34-22 lead.

F. B. I.	G	FG	P
Bethel, lf	3	0	6
J.Th'mpso'n,rf	4	1	9
Robinson, c	3	2	8
Jones, lg	1	1	3
H.Th'mp'n,rg	3	1	7
McCartee, rg	0	1	1
Totals	14	6	34

Dist. WPA.	G	FG	P
Lucas, lf	2	2	6
Dean, rf	6	1	13
Mayfield, c	0	2	2
Noonan, c	2	0	4
Hollidge, lg	0	1	1
Tipton, rg	1	0	2
Scheible, rg	1	0	2
Totals	12	6	30

Referees—Geartz, Latona.

Agriculture.	G	FG	P
Davis, lf	3	0	6
Weigel, rf	3	1	7
Reynolds, c	0	0	0
Hicks, c	0	0	0
Gale, lg	4	0	8
Ambrout, rg	0	0	0
Pounders, rg	0	0	0
Gabe, rg	0	0	0
Totals	10	1	21

Senate Beer.	G	FG	P
L. Scheele, lf	4	0	8
Councilman,lf	3	2	8
Cavanaugh, rf	3	0	6
Katz, rf	1	0	2
F. Scheele, c	6	1	13
Buckholtz, lg	3	0	6
Edelin, rg	5	0	10
Totals	25	6	56

Referees—Geartz, Latona.

Griff Unconcerned As to Bolton's Fate

By a Staff Correspondent.

Orlando, Fla., March 22.—Cliff Bolton, the Nats' mysteriously missing catcher, was variously reported today as being at his High Point, N. C., home, as secluding himself with new-found friends in Orlando, and as hitch-hiking for parts unknown. But Clark Griffith, owner of the Nats, no longer is concerned about his eccentric backstop.

"I don't care where he is or what he is doing," declared Griffith. "He has pulled this disappearing act once too often. We are through with him. If he wants to get back into baseball, he'll have to deal with Commissioner Landis."

Green, Hoya Runner, Undergoes Operation

Georgetown's hopes of hanging up a new outdoor mile relay track record this spring were dealt a staggering blow yesterday when Leroy Green, No. 2 man, was stricken with an acute case of appendicitis. At the Georgetown Hospital, where he underwent an emergency operation, he was said to be resting comfortably last night, but will be out of competition for the remainder of the year.

Fight Results

Boston—Andy Callahan, 142½, of Lawrence, tonight gained a 10-round split decision over Sammy Fuller, 140½, of Boston. In the semifinals Ralph Zanzelli, 148, Providence, R. I., kayoed Eldred Davenport, 147, New York, in the last minute of an 8-round bout.

New York—Irving Eldridge, 134½, of New York, took a hard-fought eight-round decision over Frankie Wallace, 135, of Cleveland, in an eight-round bout tonight.

Next Week: East Lynn —By DeMoreland

1 Ill, 1 Hurt, G. U. Golfers Cancel Trip

Misfortune struck Georgetown University's golf team for the second time in a week yesterday and forced the linksmen to cancel a three-week Southern trip shortly before departure.

Charlie Pettijohn, Westchester, N. Y. champion, suffered a reoccurence of an internal disorder and was forbidden by doctors to make the trip at midnight Sunday. The team was scheduled to leave by auto at noon yesterday.

Jim Lee, veteran member of the Hoya squad, suffered a broken elbow in an auto accident last week and was lost to the team for the season. The school boasted no other golfers capable of bolstering the team, thus canceling the 10-match journey.

Basketball Scores

GIRLS' A. A. U. TOURNEY.

Lambuth College, Jackson, Tenn., 29; Pittsburgh, Pa., 12.

Houston, Tex., Watkins, 36; Kansas City Flashes, 7.

Nashville, Tenn., Business College, 36; Alva (Okla.) Boosters, 8.

Des Moines A. I. B., 56; Leon, Kans., 14.

Kansas City Cardinals, 27; Whitewater, Kans., 11.

Wichita Thurstons, 36; Emory, Add Girls A. A. U. Basketball, Wich Tex., 11.

Ahearn Scents 'Plot;' Loder Latest Runout

The second main event boxer in as many weeks failed to appear for a scheduled fight at Turner's Arena last night as Teddy Loder did not arrive from New York to joust with Werther Arcelli.

The failure of Loder to come in for the bout marked the third out and out "runout" taken on Matchmaker Goldie Ahearn, of the Joe Turner organization, within two weeks.

Declaring the disappearing fighters were being induced to fail to keep appointments here, Ahearn said he would start a private investigation, if necessary, to determine who is responsible.

"Someone here is trying to get me out of the business," Goldie said last night. "That someone is working through people in New York to make fighters not show up when scheduled here and thus ruin my cards."

At the boxing commission it was learned that both Loder and his manager, Henry Andrews, of New York, would be suspended for the fiasco. The commission also stated that if any proof was produced to show that the runouts were arranged, criminal action would be brought against the parties accused.

Johnny Lucas, a Camden, N. J., welterweight who holds a decision over District Champion Phil Furr, was procured as a last-minute substitute for the missing German-American fighter.

Last week Danny London, a fighter managed by Irving Cohen, of New York, vanished into thin air on the eve of his departure for Washington. London has been suspended by the District Commission and his suspension will be recognized by the National Boxing Association.

Buddy McDonald, a California heavyweight who had been slated to work in a preliminary to the London bout, also disappeared after he had come to Washington.

Yesterday afternoon shortly before the official weighing-in time of 2 o'clock, Henry Andrews, Loder's accredited manager, called Ahearn from New York. He explained that he had been in an automobile accident which kept him from meeting his fighter at 9:30 as had previously been arranged.

Exhibition Games.

At Sebring, Fla.:	R.	H.	E.
New York (A.) 300 000 000—3	5	0	
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Malone, Hadley and Baker; Donald, Russo, Piechota and Hershberger.

At Orlando, Fla.	R.	H.	E.
Washington (A) 001 200 10x—4	9	0	
Boston (A).....001 000 100—1	6	1	

Appleton, Weaver, Hogan and Millies; McKain, Wilson, Dickman, Henry and Peacock.

At De Land, Fla.—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis (N).. 300 000 000—3	7	2	
Col'bus (AA). 030 002 00x—5	8	0	

Weiland, H. Moore and Owen; Heusser, White, Gornicki and Grilk.

At Tampa, Fla.—	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn (N) 003 000 012—6	8	2	
Cincinnati (N) 421 101 00x—9	12	1	

Signor, Eisenstat, Baker and Phllps, Gautreaux; Derringer, Schott, Posedel and Campbell, Moore.

At Tampla, Fla.—	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn (N.). 003 000 012—6	8	2	
Cincinnati (N.) 421 101 00x—9	12	1	

Signor, Eisenstate, Baker and Phelps, Gautreaux; Derringer, Schott, Posedel and Campbell, Moore.

Bowling News

PWA sports teams absorbed a double-dose of defeat last night, bowing in both instances to Bureau of Investigation representatives. The courtmen were defeated in the A. A. U. tournament finals, while the bowlers lost all three games in their Federal League engagement.

Astor Clarke of Investigation tied the individual season game mark with a set of 169, and went on to hang up a set of 435. His mates' best game amounted to 620 and their best set was 1,769.

Condor, in the A. and P. League, established a new team set mark for the season of 1,742. Its best game was 614 and it took all three games from Rajah. Fred Schultz's 284 and Al Darnes' 150 were high.

Bill Behncke's 148 and 405 scores were high in the Kilowatt League. Treasury topped the teams with 589 and 1,677.

Quarles Beats Miller.

By the Associated Press.

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 22.—Norment Quarles, Washington lightweight, won a decisive victory from former Featherweight Champion Freddie Miller here tonight.

Hoover With Post Cup His G-Men Won

Post Staff Photo.

The chief of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (right), gladly accepts The Washington Post trophy which the Sleuths won last night by defeating D. C. WPA for the city A. A. U. title at Tech High, 34-30. Coach Ed Colliflower at left.

Arcelli Wins Split Verdict Over Lucas

Swetnam Is Stopped on Technical K. O. in Seventh Round.

By Bill McCormick.

Werther Arcelli, veteran Boston welterweight, was awarded a split and much booed decision over the equally venerable Johnny Lucas, of Camden, N. J., in an eight-round feature bout at Turner's Arena last night.

The fight was one of those in which a swarming fighter, as portrayed by Lucas, landed the most punches but the heavier hitting opponent landed more telling blows.

The Post score sheet showed Lucas slightly ahead at the finish, but that is purely a matter of opinion as it always is in such fights. Most of the crowd of 1,021 which dropped $1,212 at the box office thought Lucas entitled to no worse than a draw.

Lucas dove in with his fists flying at the opening bell and he never stopped throwing punches till the finish. Arcelli took pot shots with a terrific right just often enough to make any decision dubious.

The bout was bitterly contested and more punches were landed with elbows and heads than were delivered with gloves. Because both gladiators were inclined to maul at close quarters, the bout might have been unpleasant to watch had not Referee Eddie LaFond turned in one of his very best performances to keep the boxers in action.

Doug Swetnam, the local featherweight, had his winning streak rudely snapped by Nick Camarata, a fine little fighter recently transplanted from New Orleans, in an eight-round semifinal.

Doug gave a good account of himself for six rounds. In the seventh he was floored for nine by a left hook. Another hook sent him down for eight; he rose wobbly and Referee Eddie LaFond halted the action after 1 minute and 50 seconds.

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Veteran Shuts Out Foes in 5 Frames

Pitcher Also Slams Timely Triple; Weaver Yields Run, But Protects Lead; Nats Work Double Steal to Score and Play Errorless Game.

By Shirley Povich.
A Staff Correspondent.

Orlando, Fla., March 22.—Mr. Clark Griffith's home-spun and ill-mannered ball club rudely received the fashionable Boston Red Sox at Tinker Field this afternoon.

Chaperoned here by Multimillionaire Tom Yawkey, and directed by Joe Cronin, the $250,000 manager, the nouveau rich Red Sox were snubbed with six hits and plastered with a 4-1 defeat as the Nats registered their third straight victory.

Pete Appleton, the old toughie, who was dismissed from the Red Sox several years ago when the Boston club started going in for strictly expensive ball players, was the prime mover in the defeat of the Sox.

He moved two teammates across the home plate in the fourth inning with a sudden three-base hit to left field, and it was also a very moving performance that he gave out there on the pitching mound. He moved the Red Sox away from the plate with great regularity, all-wing only three hits in the five innings he toiled.

Monte Weaver, who relieved Appleton, also caught the spirit of the proceedings. The Red Sox managed one run off him, but that was all. Weaver gave up only three hits to the Sox in those last four innings.

The Nats were fair country ball players today. They assaulted four young Boston pitchers for nine hits, worked a double steal that scored the first run of the game, and came up with some fielding plays that undoubtedly caused Mr. Yawkey to think about cultivating some home-grown ball players of his own and cut out this business of buying supposedly ready-made stars—before he went broke.

By the time the Red Sox began scoring against Weaver, in the seventh inning, the Nats had a 3-0 lead, compiled very simply.

Buddy Lewis and Joe Kuhel singled in the third inning and then pulled a double steal which sent Lewis skidding across the plate. Pete Appleton found Johnny Mihalic and Shanty Hogan on base in

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Three in a Row!

WASHINGTON.	AB	R	BH	A	PO	E
Chapman, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Lewis, 3b	2	1	1	1	4	0
Kuhel, 1b	3	0	1	10	1	0
Sington, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Stone, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Travis, ss	4	0	1	2	2	0
Mihalic, 2b	4	1	2	3	2	0
Hogan, c	2	1	1	3	2	0
Millies, c	2	0	1	2	0	0
Appleton, p	2	0	1	0	0	0
Weaver, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	4	9	27	11	0

Boston.	AB	R	BH	A	PO	E
Daughters, cf, 3b	3	0	2	0	0	0
Almada, rf, 1b	4	0	0	5	0	0
Mills, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Higgins, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Gaffke, rf, cf	2	1	1	3	0	0
Cronin, ss	2	0	0	2	2	1
Dallasandro, rf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Doerr, 2b	4	0	1	5	3	0
Kroner, 1b, 3b, ss	3	0	0	3	3	0
Peacock, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
McKain, p	1	0	0	1	0	0
Wilson, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dickman, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Henry, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
*McNair	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	1	6	24	11	1

*Batted for Dickman in eighth.

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1
WASHINGTON	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	x—4

Run batted in—Appleton (2), Stone. Two-base hits—Millies, Gaffke. Three-base hits—Appleton, Dallasandro. Stolen bases—Lewis, Kuhel. Double plays—Cronin to Doerr to Almada, Kroner to Doerr to Almada. Left on bases—Boston, 8; Washington, 11. First base on balls—Off Appleton, 1; off Weaver, 1; off McKain, 1; off Wilson, 1; off Dickman, 3; off Henry, 2. Struck out—By Appleton, 3; by Weaver, 2; by McKain, 2; by Dickman, 2. Hits—Off Appleton, 3 in 5 innings; off Weaver, 3 in 4 innings; off McKain, 3 in 2 innings; off Wilson, 4 in 3 innings; off Dickman, 1 in 1 inning; off Henry, 1 in 1 inning. Winning pitcher—Appleton. Losing pitcher—Wilson. Umpires—Kolls and Hubbard. Time of game—Two hours 4 minutes.

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Dusty Dawn Wins as Tropical Park Fans Boo Photo Decision

Sir Quest's Drive Takes 2d Money

Goldey F. Third After Setting Pace; Winner Pays Only $3.30.

Trpical Park, Fla., March 11.—That the sensational good luck of Mrs. Emil Denemark ended closing day at Hialeah Park, when her favored Finance lost to Columbiana in the rich Widener Challenge Cup was again demonstrated here today. Sir Quest carried the Chicago sportswoman's silks in the Navarre Purse and, after meeting with bad fortune in the running, lost a photo-finish decision to Louise J. Hickman's Dusty Dawn. The camera verdict was roundly and loudly booed by the big crowd, despite the fact that most of them had wagered on Dusty Dawn, odds-on choice at $3.30 for 2. The latter finished on the outside.

Mrs. W. A. Bridges' Goldey F. was third, two lengths away.

Dusty Dawn, giving the battle-scarred jockey, Charley Landolt, a double, was the third straight favorite to pay off. The 6-year-old gelding covered the 6 furlongs in the smart time of 1:10 4-5.

Goldey F. displayed her vaunted early speed to lead Dusty Dawn to the stretch. Sir Quest was rated along to the bend, where Kurtsinger tried to go through on the inside. Sir Quest was repeatedly blocked and unable to really run until he sped through on the rail entering the stretch. As Goldey F. faltered, Dusty Dawn and Sir Quest hooked up in a thrilling battle to the wire, with the photo awarding the favorite the purse.

After leading his field to within a foot or so of the finish line, the heavily backed Bravo Caruso weakened just enough to lose a very close decision in the photo finish of the first race. The purse went to the second choice, Romney Royal, which paid $6.90. Third money was annexed by Slippery Jim, three lengths behind and a nose before Twosome.

Nats Defeat Red Sox, 4-1; Is 3d Straight

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the fourth, against Archie McKain, a young left-hander from Minneapolis, and very deliberately banged a triple to left that scored them both.

A young fellow named Emerson Dickman, fresh out of Washington and Lee University, presented the Nats with their fourth run—in the seventh. He pitched a single to Ben Chapman and then reeled off three bases on balls to send Chapman across the plate.

If you must know how the Red Sox scored their lone run, well, Gaffke led off the seventh with a double and eventually scored from third on Doerr's long foul fly to left.

Shanty Hogan, an old Boston boy, had a .500 average with the bat today and a 1.000 average behind it. The Red Sox only tried to steal second base on Hogan twice. Thus they failed only twice. Hogan was whipping the ball down to Mihalic like something out of a 75 mm. artillery.

Big Freddie Sington won no honors at bat. He flied out to right field, struck out twice and hit into a double play.

Dick Lanahan, a failure in his 1937 debut on the mound when his offerings were solidly thumped by the Giants, will be given another opportunity by Manager Bucky Harris tomorrow.

Lanahan has been assigned to pitch the first five innings of the battle with the Detroit Tigers at Lakeland, where the Nats will be seeking their fourth straight Grapefruit League victory. The left-handed Syd Cohen will follow Lanahan to the mound.

Herbert Crompton, clever young catcher of the Washington-owned Chattanooga Club, is expected to join the Nats tomorrow to round out a catching staff now depleted by the absence of mysteriously missing Cliff Bolton.

Chattanooga has been retaining Crompton until Sammy Holbrook, its No. 1 catcher, signs his contract. Holbrook is expected to agree to terms tomorrow.

Clark Griffith, owner of the Nats, who has seen both Crompton and Holbrook in action, prefers the former. A big 21-year-old lad with an accurate arm, Crompton belonged to Minneapolis. He caught the majority of Chattanooga's games late last season, hitting .285.

Finance Golfers Play.

The Finance Department of the United States Army will hold a match play tournament on the West Potomac course starting tomorrow. J. F. Keeley, chairman, and Maj. R. L. Cave will be in charge of the event. It is in preparation for their annual tourney in May.

'Y' Offers Course.

The first spring life saving course, consisting of ten lessons, will begin Tuesday, March 23, at 7:30 p. m. in the men's Y. M. C. A. pool.

At the Post . . .

with **Bill Bennings.**

Selections at Tropical Park.

Dear Al:

Arlington Park is making a bid for the best stables by making its minimum purse for this year $1,100. Gayset, which turned in a victory today in the juvenile race, ran in the colors of Bob Smith, who formerly trained for the Brookmeade Stable. Smith bought the juvenile from the stable before he resigned. Ira Hanford, the boy who rode Bold Venture to victory in the Kentucky Derby last spring, will be seen in the saddle at the coming Bowie meeting. I haven't full proof as yet, but I noticed that Clocker Mike ordered tea for dinner again today and I suspect the tea leaves have something to do with his system for picking horses. He has named Fervid for tomorrow. I didn't notice any comment on the Derby entry of Triple Threat. Remember how that one closed a big gap to win going away in that juvenile stake at Laurel last fall? He might prove the sleeper in the Kentucky classic. Jockey Noboy Jacobs made his Derby choice last summer. He says it will be a hop, skip and jump for Col. Bradley's Brooklyn. Some days we can't win a dime.

BILL.

First race—Little Dinah seems suited by conditions in the day's opener. Gets in with only steadying weight and will have May to ride. **Scintilla** and **King Bee** are most promising of the others.

Second race—Aftermath seems to have found a position that suits in this sprint. Kurtsinger will be in charge of the saddle work. **Lucky Jean** can better that last considerably. **Harp O'Gold** and **Yetive** have some chance.

Third race—War Jewel has a lot of speed and may be ready to carry top weight of 118 pounds to victory over this maiden field. **Proximity** and **Miney** to take care of the others.

Fourth race—Bold Turk is as good as those recent smashing races and will be hard to beat here. **Sing Low** is a fair sort and gets the place call ahead of **Oddesa Lary.**

Fifth race—Albuquerque jogged along in front of a fair field last out. Meets better ones here, but may stick it out long enough to stave off the closing bid of **Peedeeque. Baydrop's** last was a beaut.

Sixth race—Veiled Lady has disappointed often. She gets in with only 103 pounds for this and likes the mile route. I'm going to string along. The entry of **Hornet** and **Playline** figures to be as good as second. **Torquil** is a possible surprise.

Seventh race—Sock Dologer seems well placed in this event. Needs only the right handling. **Scotch Pepper** has worked well and may jolt the talent at a big price. **Transit Lady** for the show.

Eighth race—Letter Box is racing into shape and takes off enough weight for this to be dangerous. I'm going to give him a chance to score. **Argoan** and **Chief Mourner** may complete the money bracket.

Best bet—Bold Turk.

Tropical Park Entries.

(LISTED IN POST POSITIONS.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $900; claiming; the Scandals; for 4-year-olds and upward.

No	Horse and Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.
8	*King Bee (Schmidt)	103	4-1
9	Stonecrop (J. Renick)	107	20-1
10	Miss Tad (Merritt)	109	20-1
11	*Mahi (Jaekle)	107	20-1
12	Dark Wizard (Wagner)	110	12-1
1	Nalita J. (Coule)	109	12-1
2	Little Dinah (May)	106	3-1
3	*Scintilla (Le Blanc)	106	3-1
4	*Mantados (Swain)	107	10-1
5	Justa Play (Steffen)	111	15-1
6	*Hermanita (Sarno)	102	20-1
7	Chinese Indian (Critchfield)	112	10-1

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $900; claiming; the Pistin' on the Ritz; for 3-year-olds.

9	Lucky Jean (J. Renick)	108	5-1
10	Chaiphone (Arcaro)	113	20-1
11	*Harp o' Gold (Schmidt)	107	12-1
12	Aftermath (Swain)	107	10-1
1	Nipponese (Landolt)	113	20-1
2	*Miss Pecan (Le Blanc)	100	12-1
3	Weapon (Balaski)	111	15-1
4	Addis (Coule)	116	20-1
5	Miss Foxy (Wholey)	110	15-1
6	*Alice Highland (Swain)	110	8-1
7	Aftermath (Kurtsinger)	113	3-1
8	*Yetive (Barba)	110	4-1

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $900; the Ce Vous; for maiden 3-year-olds and upward; fillies and mares.

8	Proximity (Wall)	108	8-5
9	All Round (Kurtsinger)	108	20-1
11	*Love Potion (Jaekle)	103	20-1
10	Lancer's Lady (J. Renick)	108	20-1
12	Nancy Mae (Rosen)	108	20-1
1	War Jewel (Wright)	118	12-1
2	*Bonnie Maid (Bierman)	103	12-1
3	*Jamesville (Le Blanc)	103	20-1
4	*Nigrette (Barba)	107	15-1
5	*British Miss (Schmidt)	103	20-1
6	Wee Colleen (Kurtsinger)	108	4-1
7	Miney (Cooper)	108	5-1

FOURTH RACE—Four furlongs; purse, $900; the Lady Peace; allowances; for 2-year-olds.

6	Miss Apprehend (J. Renick)	110	8-1
7	Oddessa Lady (Arcaro)	110	4-1
8	Sherab Jr. (Rosen)	113	8-1
1	Our Ketchum (Steffen)	113	8-1
2	Bold Turk (Wagner)	113	8-5
3	Call Me Anne (Coule)	105	20-1
4	Sing Low (Wright)	116	3-1
5	Radio Charm (Kurtsinger)	116	10-1

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $900; claiming; the Harry Richman; for 4-year-olds and upward.

5	Beveau (May)	117	5-1
6	*Peerless Pal (Bierman)	112	8-1
7	Peedeeque (Arcaro)	117	2-1
8	Albuquerque (Bierman)	114	6-1
1	*Baydrop (Schmidt)	110	4-1
3	Anhelation (Rosen)	113	15-1
4	*Seven Star (Sarno)	108	5-1

SIXTH RACE—One mile; purse, $900; the Follies; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

6	Goldspray (Kurtsinger)	108	10-1
7	*Torquil (Bierman)	103	10-1
8	*Landscape (Jaekle)	105	5-1
9	Richard III (Kurtsinger)	108	20-1
10	*Manda's Baby (Schmidt)	103	10-1
11	Sir Isaac (Rosen)	113	10-1
12	*Hornet (Sarno)	108	3-1
1	Murcott's Ope (Merritt)	100	20-1
2	Tobacco Buyer (Swain)	103	20-1
3	Sir Reg (Balaski)	108	8-1
4	Veiled Lady (Le Blanc)	103	4-1
5	†Playline (Wright)	110	3-1

†W. N. Adrians-Mrs. E. D. Jacobs entry.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $900; claiming; the Sons o' Guns; for 3-year-olds and upward.

8	*Scotch Pepper (Jaekle)	112	20-1
9	*Monks Gold (Swain)	106	8-1
10	*Apathy (Bierman)	112	15-1
11	Fervid (Kurtsinger)	112	10-1
12	Cuban Boy (J. Renick)	112	8-1
1	*Sock Dologer (Schmidt)	112	3-1
2	*Transit Lady (Le Blanc)	106	4-1
3	Spicy (Merritt)	97	15-1
4	Never Yet (South)	107	20-1
5	*Our Lilly (Swain)	106	20-1
6	Trickling (Balaski)	112	8-1
7	*Double Finesse (Sarno)	111	20-1

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $900; claiming; the Vagabond Song; for 3-year-olds and upward.

11	*Herkimer (Schmidt)	112	10-1
10	*Makeit (Jackle)	106	12-1
12	Argoan (Arcaro)	116	3-1
9	Lady Thirteen (Le Blanch)	106	15-1
2	*Pretty Lass (Jaekle)	107	5-1
3	Maddening (Jackson)	112	12-1
4	Mystic Flyer (Wright)	116	10-1
5	Black Timber (Merritt)	97	20-1
6	*Brush Past (Bierman)	112	12-1
7	*Chief Mourner (Sorenson)	112	8-1
8	*Red Spark (Swain)	111	15-1
9	*Letter Box (Barba)	106	10-1

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather, clear; track, fast.

Arcelli Outpoints Substitute Lucas

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awarding the bout to Camarata on a technical knockout.

A quartet of four-round preliminaries rounded out the bill in nice fashion.

Sam Bacala, a Baltimore welterweight, knocked out Jack Robinson, of Alexandria, quicker than you can say Jack Robinson, in the third round.

Joe De Carlo, Baltimore, won an unanimous decision from Norman Cohen, of Norfolk, in a welterweight tussle.

Bill Temes, local lightweight, scored a unanimous decision over Joe Mathews, of Richmond.

Joe Letto, of Baltimore, spoiled the comeback record of Frankie De Angelo by winning a split decision from the Washington featherweight.

Oaklawn Park Entries.

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—Oaklawn course (165 feet less than six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Whoa Back	113	7 Small Change 113
2	Wise Eddie	113	8 Indiana Flyer 113
3	Aunt Marie	108	9 Tide Time 113
4	Peter Pepper	113	10 Colonel Jr. 113
5	Prince's King	113	11 Chief Bunting 113
6	Blagden	113	12 Onslaught 113

SECOND RACE—Four furlongs; purse, $600; for maiden 2-year-old fillies.

1	Romaine	116	7 Aim High 116
2	Tuleyries Lin.	116	8 Swift Spot 116
3	Gray Lassie	116	9 Accordian 116
4	Kilclap	116	10 Qu'n Regnant 116
5	Pebble M	116	11 Sweet Bert 116
6	Pearl Tipped	116	12 M'atery Gipsey 116

THIRD RACE—Oaklawn course; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

1	Baby Way	107	6 Head to Head 112
2	Black Sergeant	112	7 *Scout Plane 105
3	*Kansascitian	107	8 *Eruption 102
4	Swift Runner	107	9 Blazing Torch 115
5	Top Glide	107	10 *Prairie 107

FOURTH RACE—Oaklawn course; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Leading Bet	112	4 *Sleep Along 110
2	*Forced L'ding	107	5 Sea Gull 107
3	*Iceberg	105	6 Pharatime 112

FIFTH RACE—One and one-fourth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Our Pal	112	6 Frumper 112
2	Miss Adele	107	7 Jeffrey 107
3	King Pin	112	8 Oaten 112
4	Marion Burr	107	9 Dixie Dan 112
5	Texas Pal	107	

SIXTH RACE—One and one-fourth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Top Spin	107	6 Don Tasker 112
2	Donnie W	112	7 Charlie H 112
3	Christine Adee	107	8 Dian 112
4	Single Stripe	112	9 Camp Craig 112
5	Gay Bird	112	10 Race Craft 112

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	*Squeezer	105	5 Handsome Hal 108
2	Indian Salute	112	6 Cinar 110
3	Cross Ruff	116	7 *Lady Peenzie 108
4	Sleepy Joe	112	8 Blessed Again 107

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Ricciardo	108	7 Nawab 113
2	Out of Fire	105	8 *Lucy 103
3	Mariolet	103	9 *Kayak 103
4	Frank Ormont	113	10 Waswanappi 110
5	Barrette	105	11 Cannons Roar 113
6	Fidele	110	12 Emp's Mother 105

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather, clear; track, fast.

Fair Grounds Entries.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	*Yule Star	109	5 West Main 109
2	Mr. Blaze	110	6 Thistle Jock 114
3	Dedication	118	7 *Cranbury 104
4	*Big Fish	109	8 *Prevention 104

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Verna T	110	9 Levaal 115
2	*Jubilargo	113	10 In Memory 115
3	*Authority	105	11 Doc Oster 115
4	*Housewarmer	113	12 Dr. Jillson 109
5	Redwick	115	13 *Porter Call 116
6	*Sun Dora	117	14 *Calico Miss 108
7	Brother	115	15 *Cooney 105
8	Bedisht	118	16 *Jim McC'nell 116

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

1	Longueil	117	10 Tinsel Lady 112
2	Gl'ning Ruth	101	11 Jeanne Son 111
3	Gabriel	111	12 Visibility 111
4	*Burl J. Renick	109	13 Hondduras 111
5	*Miss Ivory	101	14 *Ruthless 101
6	*Dusky Miss	101	15 *J. M. Kover 106
7	Queen Irene	109	16 *Polante Seth 112
8	*Cingalese	107	17 Rhida 106
9	Gay Trbadour	111	

FOURTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	*Going Garl	104	6 *Still Alarm 98
2	Pitter Pat	111	7 *Baby Bet 98
3	Copper Tube	115	8 Moandmo 104
4	Anklets	112	9 Zenka 108
5	Manhattan	112	

FIFTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds.

1	Linnie Kate	103	7 *Dark Prince 110
2	*Gustavia	98	8 *Mitzi Kai 98
3	*Buddie Miller	103	9 Safe Porte 108
4	Old State	112	10 *Binjer 110
5	Broadway Girl	110	11 *Robin Hood 108
6	Chigal	103	12 *Fight Back 103

SIXTH RACE—One mile; the Jasmine; purse, $800; allowances; for 3-year-olds.

1	*Miss Adams	100	7 Jewell Dorsett 107
2	Maestrom	95	8 Trina 107
3	*Red Raider	112	9 Skeeter 112
4	Balkonian	105	10 *Quincy 114
5	†Prince Arthur	105	11 Sonsy Boy 105
6	Grey Count	114	

†D. McKinley and Mrs. J. C. Gillem entry.

Shandon Farm entry.

SEVENTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	*Attauquechee	106	7 *Playbook 110
2	*Charles J	103	8 Risla 106
3	*Mov'g Clouds	95	9 Tragal 114
4	*Hour Lady	101	10 *Claflag 106
5	*Revelstoke	110	11 Try Fair 105
6	Blue Damsel	106	

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Joan Macaw	104	10 Sp'kling Rose 104
2	Mad Career	109	11 Habanero 113
3	Indian Red	109	12 Dr. Jillson 109
4	Hows Chances	113	13 Memphis Lass 108
5	Ultra Vote	113	14 Masked Revue 109
6	Scottys Pride	104	15 Polite Ann 108
7	Northern Sir	109	16 Fair Boy 113
8	Little R	113	17 Transmac 113
9	Julius J. R	113	18 Ruff Day 113

NINTH RACE (substitute)—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Della Booter	106	10 Bright Knot 113
2	Registerite	106	11 Risibility 113
3	Sister Ikie	108	12 Defier 113
4	Jewelry	108	13 Duckie Rose 108
5	Sergeant Hill	109	14 Magic Line 113
6	Exilda	104	15 Rik Covering 104
7	Marcôla	108	16 Boston C'mon 104
8	Roger Witch	113	17 Tela 104
9	Fleet Jest	109	18 Goron 104

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

The Post's Consensus at Tropical Park

Consensus of Leading Handicappers.

First Race	Second Race	Third Race	Fourth Race	Fifth Race	Sixth Race	Seventh Race	Eighth Race
Scintilla (27)	Alice H'land (26)	Proximity (30)	Bold Turk (32)	Peedeeque (25)	Veiled Lady (24)	Tran. Lady (23)	Argoan (29)
King Bee (25)	Lucky Jeanne (23)	Wee Colleen (20)	Radio Ch. (25)	Albuq'que (23)	Hornet (19)	Fervid (17)	Ch. Mourner (21
Little Dinah (18)	Yetive (12)	Miney (18)	Sing Low (14)	Seven Stars(17)	Goldspray (12)	Monks Gold (17)	Pretty Lass (11)

Bennings (Washington Post).

Little Dinah	Aftermath	War Jewel	Bold Turk	Albuquerque	Veiled Lady	Sock Dologer	Letter Box
Scintilla	Lucky Jean	Proximity	Peedeeque	Entry	Scotch Pepper	Argoan	
King Bee	Harp o' Gold	Miney	Oddessa Lady	Baydrop	Torquil	Transit Lady	Chief Mourner

Best bet—Bold Turk.

Louisville Times (Associated Press).

Mantados	Aftermath	Love Potion	Radio Charm	Albuquerque	Jacobs entry	Sock Dologer	Chief Mourner
Justa Play	Lucky Jean	Miney	Bold Turk	Beaveau	Landscape	Fervid	Mystic Flyer
Dark Wizard	Yetive	Proximity	Sing Low	Peedeeque	Sir Isaac	Spicy	Herkimer

Best bet—Albuquerque.

Wirephoto: 5-2 Shot on Way to Florida Victory

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Romney Royal overtakes the field to capture Tropical Park opener. Photo shows the field rounding into the homestretch with Bravo Caruso on top, hard pressed by Romney Royal (on outside) who took command shortly after picture was made. Slippery Jim was awarded third money.

Epsom Downs Entries.

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—Four and one-half furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1	*Lolest	105	8 Joe D. 109
2	*Chicfire	108	9 Unrivalled 113
3	Livanna	102	10 Exum 110
4	Grand Waters	113	11 Kizzy D. 102
5	Sequoia Hills	105	12 Sleep Out 110
6	*Magic Baby	105	13 Pilla 105
7	*Sister Polly	101	14 *Mad Shirley 105

SECOND RACE—Five furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	*Brides D'light	112	8 *Grimaldi 104
2	*Gray Porte	104	9 Tug o' War 114
3	High Mabel	104	10 *Board Trade 117
4	*Modesto	104	11 *The Rew 109
5	*Enabo	104	12 *Tricky Miss 107
6	*Mae	104	13 Phal Joy 106
7	High Hand II	109	

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	*Drombo	109	10 Two Edged 114
2	*Gamaliel	109	11 *Chiltex 105
3	*John Bane	113	12 *Lo 108
4	*Little Coed	90	13 *Dixie Fox 104
5	My Blonde	113	14 Noble Tiller 110
6	Red Pepper	104	15 Royal C'and 116
7	*Apronette	108	16 *Miss Flicker 104
8	*Zekiel	109	17 *John Doe 109
9	Hobnial	113	18 *Royal Link 109

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Lady Ch'rmain	104	4 Maystick 105
2	*Bunny Martin	102	5 *Lunsford 104
3	*Eursvalus	107	6 *Trouper 107

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Eastport	105	5 L'ding Article 105
2	Wilda	100	6 Black H'brow 105
3	Blue Train	103	7 Royal C'ntess 94
4	Miss Greenock	106	8 Quaimodo 104

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $500; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	*Bistrita	102	5 Norman D 108
2	*Hoptoit	107	6 Proposing 113
3	Bullsrode	108	7 Dizzy B 113
4	*Jirasol II	103	

SEVENTH RACE—One mile; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	*Fiji	99	8 *Chatterly 112
2	*Take Down	112	10 *Pisian Witch 107
3	Ria Nara	112	11 *Persian Step 103
4	*Don Grafton	101	12 Exceed 112
5	*Handy B'gate	112	13 No Change 117
6	*Jeu de Bar	112	14 *Witchlore 112
7	Chilnore	113	15 Escomur 101
8	Free Advice	117	

EIGHTH RACE—One mile; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	*Sw't Manners	107	8 *Chatterly 112
2	*Nervous Lady	107	9 *Epiwitch 107
3	*Declaration	112	10 *Omar Jones 108
4	*Storm Angel	108	11 Van Hastings 117
5	*Captain Red	112	12 *Light Zephyr 112
6	*Santa Marita	96	13 *Manteca 112
7	*Count Cotton	112	14 *Hurry Hawk 108

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather, clear; track, fast.

Epsom Downs Results.

FIRST — Six furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; 3-year-olds.

Jack o' Spades, 112 (Sch'hi) 8.80 4.30 3.20
Donnacona Kid, 113 (Calvert)....6.50 5.50
Scotch Thistle, 107 (Vedder).....13.60

Derby Eve, Princess Stone, Arielette, Angelita, Kittys Rival, Texas Miss, Tyban, *Rolled Notes, *Rey Oro also ran. Time, 1:15.

*Field.

SECOND—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

Margaret Nadi, 94 (Ward) 20.70 9.80 6.90
Flight of Gold, 108 (Neal).....6.90 5.60
Houstonian, 103 (Tice).....41.00

Ouray, Chicaro Boy, Chubby Roan, Morfire, Bunting On, *Triple Play, *Seraphile Knight, *Thorese Girl also ran. Time, 1:07 2-5.

*Field.

THIRD—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

Transen, 112 (Kurenic) 8.30 4.70 3.60
Daisy Bane, 103 (Morgan).....14.00 8.00
Title Oak, 112 (Vedder) 5.80

Elizabeth T., The Jurist, Aikali, Redina, Thoughtful, Linden Tree, *Sophist, Raffles Lad, *Phalamo also ran. Time, 1:08.

*Field.

FOURTH—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; 3-year-olds.

Erb, 106 (Thornton) 5.50 3.30 2.50
Saxlen, 106 (Neal).....3.40 2.90
Beaver County, 106 (Vedder).....2.90

Quindaro, Old Jazz, Howard G. also ran. Time, 1:07 4-5.

FIFTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $500; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

Frech, 112 (Cornay) 14.90 6.80 3.70
Beginners Bait, 112 (Roberts)...6.80 3.20
Jerdan, 113 (Calvert).....4.30

Miss Petrina, William V., Miss Firefly, Maguire also ran. Time, 1:48 4-5.

SIXTH—One mile; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

*Photography, 112 (Roberts) 5.40 3.00 2.70
Barrido, 112 (Hauer) 9.80 6.20
Mottled, 108 (Richards).....3.70

Quick Sale, Strathcote, Young Lion, La-Salle, Bourbon Rose, Hoosiera Pride, Comet Halley, *Chilbee and *Milandra also ran. Time, 1:42 4-5.

*Field.

SEVENTH — One mile; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Little Reigh, 112 (Roberts). 5.70 3.70 3.10
Lady Democrat, 112 (Thornton)..16.80 6.50
Wispy, 107 (Richard).....3.10

Bourbon Rose, Wonder Run, Moving On, Tarman, Happy Venture, Play Shook, *Monsure, *The Point and *Miss Cardenas also ran. Time, 1:44.

EIGHTH—One mile; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Dutchy, 112 (Hauer).....5.60 3.40 3.00
Zanny, 112 (Richard).....4.90 4.40
Noir Light, 101 (Ward).....4.70

Jessie P., Wild Set, Anblossom, Bob Bruce, Contrary, Lord Whittier, *Disapproval, *Jean Mac and *Jobioso also ran. Time, 1:43 3-5.

*Field.

Fair Grounds Results.

FIRST—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $700; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

High Monsul, 111 (Dubois)..9.20 4.20 3.20
Brophy, 111 (Duffy) 3.20 2.60
Persuader, 116 (O'Mailey) 3.00

Laro Keys, Waterman, Eniz, Cherokee Red also ran. Time, 1:47.

SECOND—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds and upward.

Bunty Ann, 106 (Hill) 5.40 3.20 2.80
Sioux Chief, 111 (Maierro).....8.20 5.40
High Bottom, 116 (Corbett).....5.80

*Guatemala, *Minda, Merovech, Princeton, Commandman, Saxopal, Donna James, Captain Joy also ran. Time, 1:07 2-5.

THIRD—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.

Erebus, 114 (Napier) 45.60 16.20 9.00
Servant Pride, 114 (Corbett)....2.80 2.60
Pancoast, 114 (Caroselli).....5.40

Anapola, Burnt Trail, Mervin B., Bass, Gay Blade, *Mighty Surprise, *Bay Memor, Starry Night, *Cohort Lass also ran. Time, 1:13 2-5.

*Field.

FOURTH—Four furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; 2-year-olds.

Neil Jay, 120 (Turner).....8.60 4.20 3.00
Jessie O., 117 (Cowley) 3.20 2.60
Rebel Flag, 113 (Corbett).....3.60

*Geesann, Prince Alex, Double Brush, Natalie West, Maryan D., *Little Hig, Lynnae, High Sheriff, *Nemrac also ran. Time, 0:48 4-5.

*Field.

FIFTH — Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-olds.

Ducmiss, 109 (Dyson).....11.20 5.00 3.80
Billy Mole, 103 (Duffy) 7.00 4.20
Henry M., 111 (Cowley) 2.60

Swale, Palatine Belle, Polante Seth, Kentucky Eagle, Lost Mother also ran. Time, 1:08 2-5.

SIXTH—Six furlongs; purse, $700; allowances; 4-year-olds and upward.

Buster Boy, 102 (Duffy)..12.60 6.00 3.80
Windshield, 106 (Mojena).....7.20 5.60
Always Blue, 97 (Hanauer) 7.60

Funderburg, Savernake, Palm Island, Sir Ten also ran. Time, 1:12 1-5.

SEVENTH—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Wizard, 116 (Mojena).....10.40 4.60 3.40
Felwyn, 111 (Caperton).....4.00 3.00
Whitehall, 116 (O'Mailey) 2.80

Mannie, Sun Voter, Penmar, Fair Mole, Chief Geronimo and Zipalong also ran. Time, 1:43 4-5.

EIGHTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Six Bells, 106 (Hill).....27.60 11.40 6.20
*Dunfox, 115 (Miller) 8.40 5.00
Probationer, 110 (Simpson).....3.80

Peter Dixon, Tryfair, *Aurica, Polly Barcaro, Glove, Animosity, Portam, *Viper and Dug In also ran. Time, 1:48

Garden Seeks Court Order Against Braddock

This Morning

WITH SHIRLEY POVICH

Orlando, Fla., March 22.—Mr. Tom Yawkey, who evoked no pity, because he can really spare the money, thought he was buying $250,000 of ball-playing talent when he prevailed upon Clark Griffith to transfer the contract of Joe Cronin to Boston back in the winter of 1934-35.

POVICH.

But the spring of 1937 finds Mr. Yawkey quite resigned to the fact that if he is ever going to realize on his investment in Cronin, it will be along the lines of managerial ability.

Cronin, the quarter-million dollar ball player of three years ago, can't find a job on his own ball team.

He's been playing in the Red Sox infield in exhibition games, even as he did today against the Nats at Tinker Field, but his presence in the line-up is tolerated rather than demanded. Whenever he installs himself in the Boston infield there is a general conviction that he is keeping better talent on the bench.

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Survey the situation as he might, Cronin is unable to find himself a spot on the team he manages. Numerous trades and active scouts have equipped the Red Sox with a veritable drove of acceptable infielders. Cronin has been driven from one position to another until he is virtually a second-stringer on his own team.

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Correspondents with the Boston club, and there are none more charitable in the big league circuit, have quite accepted the failure of Cronin to make the team. "Swell fellow, but he doesn't have it any more. There are too many infielders on the club who are crowding him," they remark.

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Very often, they speak very specifically. "He can't pick up a ground ball any more. And he never could go to his left. Sure, he can hit, but so can these other young fellows. The club doesn't need Cronin as a ball player. Unless——"

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With that they mean unless Cronin by some miracle recovers his big league form of 1930-33 when the likable young Irishman with the fighting chin was tops in the short-stop profession—steady, brilliant, even spectacular, a "money" player and opportunist whose play would have inspired applause from the late King Tut in his mummified form.

Always with reservations do they read Cronin out of the Boston line-up. Because it is incredible that in two years he could have slipped from the status of the star he was to a dime-a-dozen performer. But something has happened, and that Cronin also knows.

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Last summer upon his recovery from a broken thumb, he returned to his shortstop job with the Red Sox and for the good of the team yielded his place to Eric McNair, acquired from the Athletics. Cronin announced that henceforth he would play at third base, a move often made by slowing infield stars of the big leagues.

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He did play third base at the fag end of the season, gave a creditable performance there. When the Red Sox went into training in the spring at Sarasota, Cronin was going to concentrate on his play as a third baseman.

But somewhere somebody had misgivings. It might have been General Manager Eddie Collins of the Red Sox or Owner Yawkey or Cronin himself, perhaps. Anyway, when the opportunity offered, the Boston club acquired Third Baseman Pinkey Higgins from the Athletics and Cronin was bereft of a job on his own ball club again.

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Higgins was one of the league's stars at the position. Cronin, the novitiate third baseman after eight years as shortstop in the big league, could not hope to compete with Higgins for the job. He had to move on again.

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Second base held a prospect for Cronin. He had never played that position, but he could learn, perhaps. Anyway, Oscar Mellilo was aging, couldn't hit enough. Johnny Kroner was erratic, and more of a shortstop anyway. Yes, there appeared to be a place for Cronin at second, if he could learn the job.

But Boston scouts out on the Pacific Coast this spring shepherded a young fellow named Bobby Doerr to the Red Sox camp. Doerr had hit .341 in the minors, had been the outstanding infielder in the league, and he was a second baseman. This time, it was Cronin vs. a rookie for job.

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And the rookie has apparently won. Cronin, somehow, found it difficult to make that short snap throw from second to first. It was a different throw from the long overhand heave on the other side of the diamond. The other day, at Lakeland, Cronin twisted a tendon in his arm while making the play.

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And Doerr—well Doerr has justified everything the scouts said about him. He is a fielding fiend around the bag and apparently was teethed on a bat. The natural young second baseman is beating out his boss.

Second base was the last port of call for Cronin in the Boston infield. Failing in that, he'll be drydocked as a playing manager.

O'Mahoney Is Winner.

New York, March 22.—Danno O'Mahoney, Irish wrestler, defeated George Koverly tonight in 77 minutes 26 seconds.

Time Out!

By Chet Smith

Put Baltimore in the date book—Mortimer—we can get in the Johns Hopkins games for nothing.

Helen Hicks Sets Record To Win Medal

By the Associated Press.

Augusta, Ga., March 22.—Helen Hicks, of Hewlitt, Long Island, a professional, etsablished a new women's competitive record for the Forest Hills course today in winning the medal of the annual Augusta Invitational match play golf tournament with a 37—39—76.

Miss Hicks, 3 under women's par, lowered by 1 stroke the Forest Hills tournament record set in 1935 by Mrs. Maureen Orcutt Crews, of Englewood, N. J.

Miss Hicks bagged five birdies on the outgoing nine and two on the incoming section to go along with the nine pars she collected during the round. She was 1 over on each of two holes.

Two veterans, Jane Cothran, of Greenville, S. C., and Marion Miley, of Lexington, Ky., also beat part.

Mildred (Babe) Didrikson, of Beaumont, Tex., the only professional entered besides Miss Hicks, carded a par 79 as the field of 52 players set out in quest of the championship won last year by Peggy Wattles, of Buffalo.

Miss Cothran and Miss Miley each turned in a 1-under-78 to tie for the runner-up position, while Miss Didrikson's 79 gave her third place. Miss Cothran was out in 38 and back in 40, while Miss Miley put together rounds of 40—38.

Fourth place went to Atlanta's Dorothy Kirby, three times Georgia State titleholder, who turned in rounds of 40-40 for an 80.

Virginia Guilfoil, of Syracuse, N. Y., carded rounds of 41-40—81 to place fifth, just in front of Deborah Verry of Pittsburgh, who needed 83 strokes to finish sixth.

The veteran Jean Bauer, of Providence, R. I., toured the course in 84 to equal cards turned in by Olive Rutherford, of Aiken, and New York and Grace Amory, of Long Island, N. Y.

Others pulling up in the champion flight were Mrs. E. Boyd Morrow, of Baltimore, 86; Mrs. R. F. Storm, of Niagara Falls, N. Y.; Helen Dettweiler, of Washington, D. C., 89; Betty Abernathy, of Pittsburgh, and Mrs. Roy Burns, of Columbus, Ga., 90; Mrs. Warren Beard, of Boston, 91.

Mrs. Beard won the last place award by defeating Mrs. Joseph Sloman, of Baltimore, and Mrs. E. A. McFarland, of Zanesville, Ohio, in a play-off.

Shmukler, J. C. C. Leads Favorites Into 2d Round

Sam Shmukler, Jewish Community Center representative, led the favorites into the second round of the seventh annual District of Columbia four-wall handball championships at the Central Y. M. C. A. last night.

Shmukler defeated Englehart, of the Y. M. C. A., 21-7, 21-2. Other results: Schwartz drew bye; Moore won by default; Koster, J. C. C., defeated Levin, Y. M. C. A., 21-14, 21-9; Cowley, Y. M. C. A., defeated Reuben, J. C. C., 21-9, 21-6; Finley, Y. M. C. A., defeated Kelenson, J. C. C., 21-8, 21-11; Fry won by default; Winkler drew bye.

Newark Wins Over Yankees, 5-3 on Homer

By the United Press.

Sebring, Fla., March 22.—A home run with two men on in the seventh inning gave the Newark Bears three runs and a 5-to-3 victory over the champion New York Yankees today.

Pat Malone started on the mound for the Yanks and held the Bears hitless until the fifth when they bunched three hits to score their first run. Bump Hadley succeeded Malone in the sixth and was touched for successive singles by Seeds and Kelliher. Hershberger followed with a home run that scored the winning runs.

The Yankees scored three runs in the opening inning and then were held to two safeties by a trio of rookie pitchers.

Reds Defeat Dodgers.

Tampa, Fla.—The Brooklyn Dodgers never recovered from a four-run assault in the first inning and lost their second straight exhibition game to the Cincinnati Reds today, 9 to 6.

Joe Dwyer, Red rookie, slammed a home run to deep center in the second inning uprising.

Cards Are Beaten.

De Land, Fla.—The Gas House Gang from St. Louis was just a breeze after the first inning for the Columbus Club of the American Association in an exhibition baseball game here today, losing to their minor league cousins, 5 to 3.

Bees Whip Tigers, 6-2.

St. Petersburg, Fla.—A 95 degree temperature pervaded Waterfront Park today while the Boston Bees won their first game of the Grapefruit League at the expense of the Detroit Tigers, 6 to 2.

Gulfport, Miss.—Manager Bill Terry put the New York Giants through a light batting, fielding and throwing drill today, then surveyed with satisfaction the results of their Havana training tour.

Avalon, Calif.—The Chicago Cubs had another scheduled intraclub game rained out today. Manager Charlie Grimm indicated his starting outfield, when the season opens, would be Augie Galan, Joe Marty and Frank Demaree.

San Antonio, Tex.—The members of the St. Louis Browns baseball squad had a day of rest today, but spent part of the morning at a "pep" meeting.

Mexico City.—Connie Mack let it be known today that the Philadelphia Athletics' catcher either Frank Hayes or Earl Brucker, whoever is working behind the plate, would bat in the No. 6 position in exhibition games, starting next week.

Winter Haven, Fla.—Manager Wilson curtailed the Phillies' practice to a single drill today. A number of sore arms have developed among the pitchers. Southpaw Bob Burke, Pete Sivess, Elmer Burkhart and Joe Bowman, righthanders, are nursing ailing throwing arms.

New Orleans, La.—Cleveland Indian pitchers received instructions today from Manager Steve O'Neill to "put all you've got on the ball" in their spring workouts. Resuming practice after two exhibition-game defeats at the hands of the New York Giants, the Tribe struck a faster pace generally.

Bridgewater Beaten.

Bridgewater, Va., March 22 (AP).—The Bridgewater Eagles dropped their opening baseball game of the season to Drexel Institute of Philadelphia, 11 to 8, here today.

Group Aims To Halt Bout With Louis

Cites Loss of Prestige If Champion Fails to Meet Schmeling.

Miami, Fla., March 22.—The opening shot was fired today in Madison Square Garden's legal campaign to compel Heavyweight Boxing Champion Jim Braddock to fight Max Schmeling instead of Joe Louis.

A circuit court order obtained by the Garden required Braddock to show cause April 8 why he should not be restrained from meeting Louis in Chicago unless first he disposes of the German in New York.

This, the Garden conceded, was a big order.

The garden matched the champion against Schmeling in a 15 rounder for the night of June 3 in New York. In a subsequent contract Braddock engaged to meet Louis in another 15 rounder at Comisky Park in Chicago on the night of June 22.

Francis M. Miller, local attorney for the New York corporation, appeared before Circuit Judge H. F. Atkinson and by word or written complaint claimed the following:

1. That the garden has at various times executed three contracts with Braddock to fight Schmeling for the heavyweight crown. The last of these contracts was signed by both parties in December.

2. That Madison Square Garden has a bowl seating 70,000, would scale seats for a heavyweight contest from $2.50 to $27.50 to gross $450,000 and return a net profit of $150,000.

3. That its standing as a sports promoter would be "irreparably damaged" should Braddock fail to keep the date with the challenger after advertising and ticket sales.

Braddock was not immediately served with the order. Deputies missed him at Tropical Park, where had had been witnessing the horse races.

Miller, who served as "match-maker of record" for several of the Garden's bouts in its now demolished bowl here, exclaimed:

"Braddock might as well accept service, for if he evades the deputies here we'll catch up with him elsewhere."

Diffenbaugh To Open Play At Pinehurst

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Pinehurst, N. C., March 22.—George Diffenbaugh, Indian Spring professional, will hit the first drive down Pinehurst's historic No. 2 course tomorrow as 120 of the Nation's leading golf pros start play in the thirty-sixth renewal of the $4,500 North-South Open.

Five Washington, D. C. golfers—three pros and two amateurs—will seek the first prize money or cups. Wiffy Cox, of Kenwood, who reported a practice round of 71, 1 under par, will play with Roy Bronsdon and Herman Barron. Diffenbaugh will tee off in company of Johnny Capello and Harold Calloway. He carded a practice round of 73 in his first trip over the course.

Leo Walper, driving-range pro, will play with Ralph Hutchinson in the last twosome leaving the tee. Walper shot a 73 in practice. Maury Fitzgerald and Harry G. Young, amateurs from Kenwood and Indian Spring, respectively, reported a 79 and 81 in preliminary rounds. Young plays with Charlie Danner and Rod Munday, while Fitzgerald is paired with Art Straub and Edmund F. Burke.

College Scores

GOLF.

University of Richmond, 16½; Boston College, 1½.

BASEBALL.

Ohio State, 5; Washington and Lee, 1.

BASKETBALL.

Eastern Intercollegiate Basketball Conference play-off:

Pittsburgh, 35; Temple, 29.

Mississippi State, 12; Minnesota, 6.

Louisiana State U., 5; Iowa, 4.

Pitt Wins Title.

Philadelphia, March 22.—The University of Pittsburgh basketball team won the championship of the Eastern Intercollegiate Basketball League last night by beating Temple, 35-29.

Sports Postscripts

DAVE KEPPEL, manager of the District WPA basketball team which played the F. B. I. last night, had two teams in the finals of Post-A. A. U. championship tournaments even before last night . . . he never had a winner . . . NEW LIFE NOTE: While city folks are watching for the first crocus, employes at the Wisconsin State experimental game and fur farm are awaiting the arrival of the first baby raccoon . . . raccoons bred and raised at the farm are released in the woods of southern Wisconsin to build up a supplementary fur crop and to provide good hunting . . . also, the farm expects to release 100,000 pheasants in the State this year . . . EVERETT RUSSELL, Heurich basketball star, has resigned from the team . . . he will go into business with his father, who is an awning maker . . . if WALTER DEWEY (VOICE OF EXPERIENCE) HAIGHT sounded out of breath on the air Sunday night, there was a reason . . . The Post's racing expert was scheduled to pinch hit for ARCH McDONALD at 7 o'clock . . . Haight's clock at home was slow, but Walter didn't know that . . . at 7 o'clock, he was chugging serenely along at Thirteenth and New York avenue in the Haight gasoline chariot, with his radio turned on . . . to his horror, he heard the strains of "The Old Pine Tree," McDonald's theme song which always introduces the program on which Walter was supposed to appear . . . Haight must have moved faster than any of the horses he picks, because he popped in the studio at Thirteenth and E just as the announcer was getting ready to explain he had been "unavoidably detained" . . . incidentally, speaking of Arch McDonald, his face was red and not from the Florida sun last week . . . scheduled to attend an exhibition at Daytona Beach, Arch hired a very tired old automobile for the trip from Orlando . . . the jallope dropped a wheel and McDonald not only didn't get to the game, but was too late to make a broadcast which was supposed to be piped to Washington from Florida.

HAIGHT.

BILL McCORMICK.

Dallas Plans Rich Auto Street Race

The richest auto street race ever held in America will be an added feature of the Pan-American Exposition in Dallis, Tex., the finals slated for August 1 for the top cash prize of $7,500. Thirty-six cars qualifying for the finals will race 150 times around a 2-mile course through the streets of Dallas.

Outsanding drivers of North, Central and South America will compete in the qualifying rounds

Printers List Golf Event for Aug. 8

Baltimore, March 22 (AP).—Golfing members of the International Printers' Union will compete here August 8-12 in their annual tournament. The defending champion is Edgar Merkle, of Washington.

Ten per cent of the players in the 72-hole medal play event this year will be in the "championship class" after the first 36 holes. Of the remainder, 20 per cent will go in classes A and B each.

League Seeks Teams.

Two additional teams are being sought by the National Capital City Baseball League to complete an eight-team circuit. Teams desiring franchises are urged to contact Claude W. Wessels at Decatur 6080.

Richmond Golfers Win.

Richmond, Va., March 22 (AP).—The University of Richmond opened its golf season with a 16½ to 1½ victory today over Boston College on the Hermitage Country Club course.

Arch McDonald Talks It Over With Bucky

Arch McDonald, who will broadcast the Nats' games away from home through the joint sponsorship of The Post-WJSV-General Mills, is looking at Bucky Harris' one finger as an indication of where the Nats will finish. The picture was taken in the Orlando camp.

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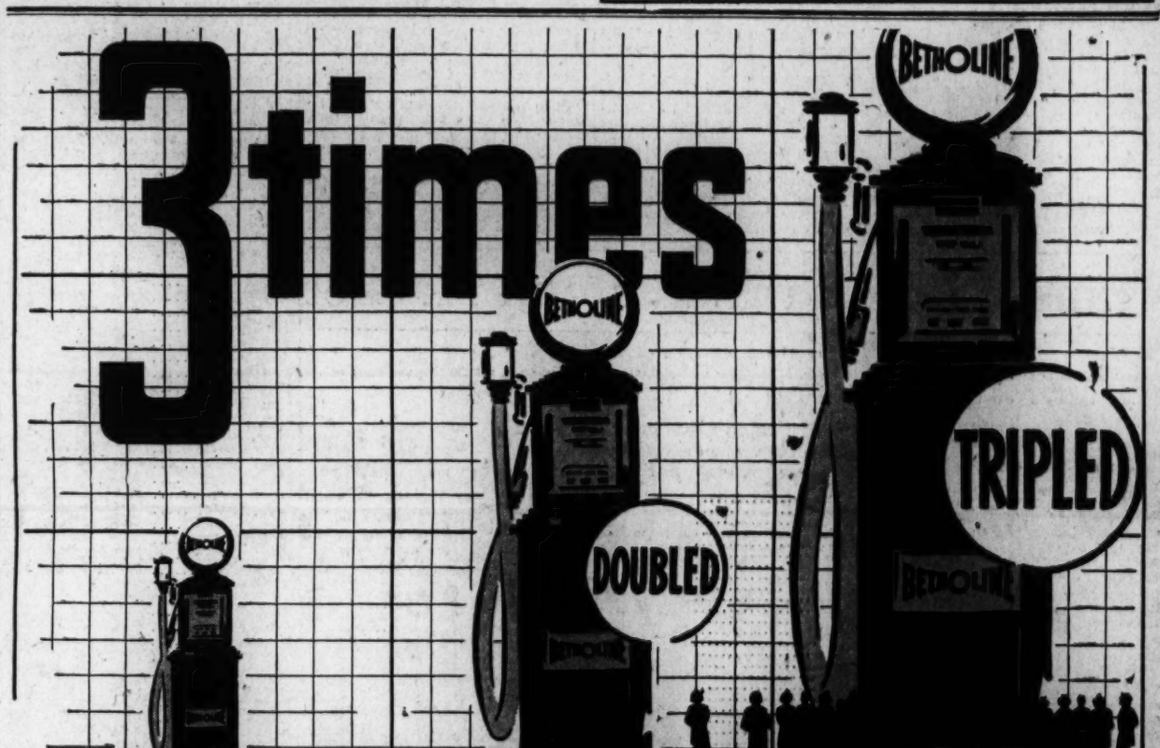

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Life College Observes 10th Anniversary

Dr. David McCahan, Dean, Addresses Gathering of Underwriters.

By Thomas M. Cahill.

Celebrating the first decade of the organization, 132 members and guests of the American College of Life Underwriters dined at the Shoreham Hotel last night and heard Dr. David McCahan, Philadelphia, dean of the college since 1934, speak of its purposes and accomplishments.

Members of Washington Chapter of the college were hosts on the occasion, commemorating the granting of its charter, March 22, 1927, in the District of Columbia. Business and civic leaders were present to rejoice with them on the culmination of ten successful years.

The college was founded to establish an educational standard for the profession of life underwriting; foster training of students for the career of professional life underwriters; co-operate with colleges and universities in general life insurance education, and recognize qualified life underwriters with a professional designation, "Chartered Life Underwriter," or "C. L. U."

Dr. McCahan, the principal speaker, reviewed the beginning of the C. L. U. movement and the steps taken to assure its permanency. First examinations, held in June, 1928, he recalled, were taken by only 34 applicants. Last year's examinations were taken by nearly 1,000 applicants at 64 centers throughout the country. At present, 1,237 chartered like underwriters have successfully completed all examinations. New York City leads the country with 139, while Washington ranks seventh, being outnumbered only by Chicago, Philadelphia, Los Angeles, Cincinnati and Baltimore.

Insurance Education.

Dr. McCahan said the purposes of the 35 chapters, in as many cities, were to advance the higher education of those engaged in life insurance and of students who contemplate entering the career of professional life underwriting. He declared they were also to maintain the dignity and high standards that are properly attached to the C. L. U. designation and to co-operate with the American College of Life Underwriters in extending its influence and educational program among colleges and universities of

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Banks Sell Bonds, Increase Loans

By the Associated Press.

A Federal Reserve Board statement recorded yesterday the year's heaviest liquidation of Government bonds during the week ended March 17. Banks in 101 cities reported sale of $196,000,000 of direct Government obligations, cutting holdings $37,000,000 below the same week last year. A $119,000,000 decline in these holdings was listed for the New York district alone.

Holdings of fully guaranteed Government obligations rose $10,000,000, however, to $1,213,000,000. The general trend among reporting banks toward liquidation of Government obligations has been under way since January.

The condition statement listed another rise in the banks' loans to industry, commerce and agriculture. These advances, rising steadily for the last two months, climbed $65,000,000 to $4,318,000,000, or $912,000,000 over the same week last year.

Demand deposits dropped $108,000,000 to $15,541,000,000, apparently reflecting withdrawals for income tax payments. Reserves with Federal Reserve banks increased $85,000,000 to $5,327,000,000.

The Market

By Carlton A. Shively,
A Special Correspondent.

Stocks Drop Sharply Led by Steels and Rails; U. S. Bonds Recede Further.

New York, March 22.—Lower prices were the rule in financial markets, but in spite of the weakness the volume of dealings was only moderate. Stock turnover was around 2,050,000 shares. Traders were a bit disheartened at the course of the market, because of the lack of ability to rally, and closing prices were around the worst. Government bonds, after a steady beginning, also again turned lower. May wheat closed ⅛ of a cent higher at 139¼ cents a bushel.

Stocks at their worst, which was near the close of trading, were 2 to 6 points lower. Opening prices were no worse than irregular, and the dealings were sparse, but as the day wore on the depression of spirits increased and the market weakened. Railroad stocks sank to new low prices during the last hour on increased offerings. Central slipped below 50. Stocks had little power to rally at any time.

Groups to share in the worst of the selling were rails, metals, steels, equipments, chemicals, rubbers and mail orders. United States Steel flopped from one rung to another until it sold along 112. Foods, tobaccos, amusements and oils gave up no more than fractions for the most part. Motor shares, in spite of the strike news, were somewhat better than the average, with the exception of Chrysler and one or two others.

The widest early losses, ranging from 1 to 3 points, suffered in some time were made by Allied Chemical, Anaconda, Bethlehem, Chrysler, Nickel, Montgomery Ward, Southern Pacific, Steel and Western Union. Their weakness shattered what little rallying power might have grown out of the late recovery on Saturday.

A few issues moved against the trend, including Baldwin preferred, which began 5 points higher; Anchor Cap, Consolidation Coal, Douglas, International Paper preferred, International Silver preferred, Seaboard Oil, Sloss-Sheffield and U. S. Hoffman. Advances ranged from 1 to 6 points in those stocks.

Weakness in the stock market continued to reflect the uncertainty of the financial community directly and of the country indirectly as to just what to expect next—first, in the matter of Government fiscal maneuvers, and, second, in the industrial situation. Trade news over the week-end was mostly favorable, aside from the strikes.

Crop planing this spring will be larger than for a good many years, thanks to the higher prices for cotton, grains and livestock. Retail trade is reported good in spite of the sit-down fad. Railroad traffic contines fairly heavy. This week's operating rate for the steel industry is estimated by the American Steel and Iron Institute at 89.6 per cent of capacity, compared with 88.9 per cent last week and 53.7 per cent a year ago.

Added to the natural demand for goods which the advance of business activity is bringing, a combination of other factors is working an influence toward increasing the pace for the time being. Among these factors the principal ones are expectation of higher prices and a possible shortage of supplies because of strikes. A strong offset to all that in the markets is that higher prices and costs already are beginning to hold back new enterprise and the fear that greater violence in the Detroit strike area might paralyze many industries.

Extent of Decline.

The decline in stocks carried far enough today to upset the previous low prices for the year. The average for 20 industrial stocks from the high of March 8 to the low fell 8 points, or 8 per cent. All ground gained since the first week of January has been lost during the past two weeks. Railroad stocks reached their peak on March 17, and at the worst today were back to the levels of early March. Comparative prices follow:

Industrials.

	High Mar. 8	1:45 Today.	De-cline.
Allied Chem.	254½	235	19½
Am Can	109¼	107	2¼
Am Radiator	27¾	25	2¾
Am Tel & Tel	179½	168½	11
Am Tobacco B	95¼	81	14¼
Anaconda	67½	61	6½
Con Edison	43½	40⅛	3⅜
East Kodak	172	159	13
Gen Electric	62½	54½	8
Gen Motors	67¼	61¾	5½
Goodyear	43	41⅜	1⅝
Int Harvester	110	101⅜	8⅜
Mont Ward	68½	60⅛	8⅜
Nat Biscuit	32½	30	2½
Std Brands	15¾	15	¾
Std of N. J.	75½	68⅜	6⅞
Texas Corp	57½	56¼	1¼
U S Steel	124⅞	113	11⅞
West Union	79⅞	72⅝	7¾
Woolworth	56⅛	51⅞	4⅛

Rails.

Balt & Ohio	40½	36	4½
Ches & Ohio	64¾	60¼	4½
Ill Central	38	33	5
N Y Central	55¼	49¾	5½
New Haven	9⅝	8½	1⅛
North Pacific	35⅞	31⅜	4½
Pennsylvania	50¼	46	4¼
Santa Fe	87	82¼	4¾
South Pacific	65⅜	59	6⅜
Union Pacific	148⅜	143½	5⅛

The Margin Call.

The margin call is being heard from the money changers' towers in Wall Street, and the response of the faithful is said to be fairly good—as it usually is at the start. Prices for all stocks, and especially for the recent speculative favorites, are now down far enough below their levels which were ruling when margin trading was expanding so rapidly to require additional margin. Fortunately for the stability of the margin the speculation had not reached the point of imprudence, so that most accounts are too well battened to be easily dislodged on margin account. Those who are obliged to sell, or who wish to play the market for a further decline, are finding bidders rather shy (as the short interest is not large) and the so-called thin market makes prices seem weaker than people feel they should be. It ought to occur to Mr. Eccles' Federal Reserve Board that now would be a fine time to put the stock speculators (who, of course, are responsible for the evils feared by him) to flight by abolishing margin trading.

Steel Output Peak Since August, 1929

New York, March 22 (AP).—Operations in the steel industry for the current week advanced .7 of a point to 89.6 per cent of capacity, a peak since August, 1929, and compared with 88.9 per cent last week. The American Iron and Steel Institute estimated today.

A month ago operations averaged 82.5 per cent of capacity while a year ago the rate was 53.7 per cent.

Wheat Prices Soar to Peak For 11 Years

Heavy Profit-Taking at Close Erases Much of the Advance.

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, March 22. — Feverish jumps of wheat values today rushed world markets up almost 6 cents a bushel in some cases to highest peaks in 11 years.

Extreme top prices were not maintained, however, late sharp setbacks resulting from big selling to collect profits, and because rains in Nebraska and prospective rains elsewhere suggested enlargement of United States 1937 wheat yields.

Aftr a day of tumultuous trading, Chicago what futures closed ⅞@1⅞ cents above Saturday's finish: May 1.39¼@1.39⅜, July 1.26⅛@1.26¼, September 1.23⅜@1.23¾; corn ⅝@1⅝ up, May 1.11⅜@1.11½, July 1.07, September 1.02⅛@1.02¼; oats unchanged to ⅛ off, May 47, and rye varying from ⅜ decline to 1 cent advance; May 1.09⅜. Provisions results were 2 cents to 12 cents down.

Futures Price Range.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	1.40¼	1.41⅛	1.39⅛	1.39⅜
July	1.26½	1.28	1.25¾	1.26¼
September	1.25⅝	1.25⅝	1.23½	1.23¾
Corn—				
May, new	1.11½	1.12¼	1.11⅛	1.11½
May, old	1.09½	1.09⅝	1.08¼	1.09¼
July, new	1.07¼	1.07⅞	1.06⅝	1.07
July, old	1.03½	1.05	1.01½	1.04⅜
September	1.01⅞	1.02½	1.01⅛	1.02⅛
Oats—				
May	48½	48½	46⅞	47
July	44⅞	44⅞	43⅝	43⅞
September	42½	42⅝	41¾	41¾
Soy Beans—				
May	1.56½	1.56½	1.56½	1.56½
July	1.53½	1.53½	1.53½	1.53½
Rye—				
May	1.11¼	1.12	1.09½	1.09⅝
July	1.06½	1.08	1.06	1.06
September	99½	1.00⅝	98½	98½
Barley—				
May	76	76	76	76
Lard—				
March	12.52	12.52	12.52	12.52
May	12.97	12.97	12.75	12.75-80
July	13.20	13.20	12.92	12.92-13
September	13.37	13.40	13.20	13.20-25

Cash Grain Prices.

WHEAT—No 2 red dark, hard, 1.45⅜; No. 1 hard, 1.47@1.47⅜; No. 2 hard, 1.46½; No. 3 white, 1.43; No. 3 mixed, 1.42½.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 1.13@1.17; No. 4 yellow, 1.13@1.16½; No. 3 white, 1.19¾@1.20.

OATS—No. 1 white, 53@54; No. 2 white, 52; No. 3 white, 51½.

RYE—No. 2, 1.18¾.

BARLEY FEED—73@87 nominal; malting, 1.00@1.35 nominal.

TIMOTHY SEED—4.75@5.50 cwt.

CLOVER SEED—30.00@36.00 cwt.

Treasury Certificates.

Rate	Maturity	Bid	Offer
⅜	Apr. 15, 1937	100 4-32	
3¼	Sept. 15, 1937	101 18-32	101 20-32
2⅝	Feb. 1, 1938	101 28-32	101 30-32
⅜	Mar. 15, 1938	102 16-32	102 18-32
2⅞	June 15, 1938	102 22-32	102 24-32
2½	Sept. 15, 1938	102 18-32	102 20-32
1½	Mar. 15, 1939	100 20-32	100 24-32
2⅛	June 15, 1939	102	102 4-32
1⅞	Dec. 15, 1939	100	100 4-32
1⅝	Mar. 15, 1940	100 13-32	100 17-32
1½	June 15, 1940	99 30-32	100 2-32
1½	Dec. 15, 1940	98 28-32	100
1½	Mar. 15, 1941	99 25-32	99 29-32
1⅜	June 15, 1941	99 9-32	99 13-32
1¼	Dec. 15, 1941	98 24-32	98 28-32

The Day's Movements In Leading Markets

Stocks.

	Mon.	Sat.
Advances	65	221
Declines	775	328
Unchanged	74	170
Total issues	914	719

Motors and steels lead drop to new lows; volume, 2,021,750.

Bonds.

United States loans slump further; transfers, $18,638,000.

Curb.

Prices yield to heavy selling; turnover, 545,000.

Commodities.

Wheat, strong; cotton, higher; sugar, steady; coffee, higher.

Exchange.

Steady; Great Britain, $4.88⅛; France, 4.59⅛ cents.

Overseas Buying Advances Cotton

New York, March 22 (AP).—Cotton resumed its advance today on active foreign and commission house buying. May rallied from 13.99 to 14.09, but then reacted to 13.99 under profit-taking and closed at the low. Final prices were 11 to 22 points net higher.

Futures Price Range.

May	14.21	14.05	14.06
July	14.09	13.93	13.93-95
October	13.56	13.41	13.44-45
December	13.47	13.32	13.38-39
January	13.48	13.36	13.38
March	13.52	13.38	13.40

Spot, steady; middling, 14.66.

Cottonseed Oil.

Cottonseed oil was firmer early today on covering and local buying, but weakened later under increased realizing and Southern selling. The reaction in cotton and grains and the weakness of stocks were factors. Final prices were 4 to 11 points net lower. Sales, 96 contracts. Bleachable spot, nominal; May, 11.12; July, 11.19; September, 11.21; October, 11.05.

Security Averages.

Stocks.

	50 Ind.	20 RR's.	20 Util.	90 Tt'l.
Yesterday	165.5	62.5	*89.1	136.8
Previous day	170.1	65.0	91.3	140.6
Week ago	175.4	65.2	90.5	144.1
Month ago	177.1	62.4	96.6	145.8
Year ago	142.8	50.9	91.2	119.5
Two years ago	82.1	30.6	46.6	67.9
High, 1936	169.6	64.0	102.0	140.5
Low, 1936	126.2	44.0	80.3	106.4
High, 1935	127.9	45.3	84.8	106.9
Low, 1935	78.6	28.6	39.5	64.0

Bonds.

	20 Ind.	20 RR's.	20 Util.	60 Tt'l.
Yesterday	*92.3	*96.5	*102.7	*97.2
Previous day	92.7	97.2	103.0	97.6
Week ago	93.6	98.2	103.7	98.5
Month ago	94.6	100.4	105.1	100.0
Year ago	92.2	92.3	105.2	96.6
Two years ago	93.6	84.1	84.4	74.4
High, 1936	94.8	100.4	106.2	100.2
Low, 1936	90.0	84.7	103.5	93.3
High, 1935	91.5	86.4	103.6	93.1
Low, 1935	83.6	71.0	89.3	83.0

*New low.

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Transactions on N. Y. Bond Market

By the Associated Press.

Total bond sales yesterday, $18,638,000; previous day, $11,096,000; week ago, $15,580,000; year ago, $10,275,000; two years ago, $8,279,000. January 1 to date, $960,707,000; year ago, $1,065,399,000; two years ago, $820,554,000.

XIN—Ex interest. CT—Certificates.

Range of United States Government Issues

(Sales in $1,000, Dollars and 32ds.)

1937 High.	1937 Low.	March 22. Sales.		High	Low	Last	Net Change	Closing Bid	Closing Ask	Yield
XIN—Ex interest. CT—Certificates.										
121.14	115	62	Treasury 4¼s, 1947-52	115.24	115	115	—.16	115	115.6	2.60
120.15	115.18	15	Treasury 4¼s, 1947-52 reg	115.18	115.18	115.18	—2.30			
109.28	105.12	144	Treasury 3¼s, 1943-45	105.24	105.12	105.15	—.10	105.12	105.24	2.30
107.12	105.14	3	Treasury 3¼s, 1943-45 reg	105.19	105.19	105.19	—.13			
115.20	110.28	53	Treasury 4s, 1944-54	111.7	110.28	110.28	—.28	110.28	111.2	2.42
114.9	106.29	36	Treasury 3¾s, 1946-56	109.8	108.29	108.29	—.19	108.29	109.4	2.60
107.27	105.16	12	Treasury 3¼s, 1940-43 June	105.28	105.24	105.24	—.1	105.24	105.30	1.48
110.18	105.29	54	Treasury 3¼s, 1943-47	106.16	106.2	106.2	—.10	105.24	106	2.34
108.24	106.2	11	Treasury 3¼s, 1941-43 Mch	106.12	106.8	106.8	—.4	106.6	106.16	1.66
108.24	106	25	Treasury 3¼s, 1941	106.5	106.5	106.5	—.1	106.6	106.12	1.72
109.25	105.8	211	Treasury 3¼s, 1944-46	105.30	105.8	105.8	—.16	105.8	105.28	2.34
108.24	103.28	395	Treasury 3¼s, 1946-49	140.18	103.28	103.28	—.20	103.28	103.29	2.64
108.21	103.27	1	Treasury 3¼s, 1946-49 reg	103.27	103.27	103.27	—4.6			
108.18	104.2	122	Treasury 3¼s, 1949-52	104.16	104.2	104.2	—.18	103.28	104.12	2.71
107.30	103.12	124	Treasury 3s, 1946-48	103.28	103.12	103.14	—.12	103.13	103.24	2.54
106.28	102.19	125	Treasury 3s, 1951-55	103.16	102.19	102.19	—.23	102.26	103	2.75
104.30	100.28	845	Treasury 2⅞s, 1955-60	101.23	100.28	100.28	—.24	100.28	100.31	2.80
106.16	101.26	142	Treasury 2¾s, 1945-47	102.12	101.26	101.29	—.11	101.28	102.2	2.48
104.16	100.2	583	Treasury 2¾s, 1948-51	100.23	100.2	100.2	—.16	100.3	100.15	2.70
103.17	99.18	2578	Treasury 2¾s, 1951-54	100.4	99.18	99.23	—.7	99.23	99.25	2.77
103.18	99.17	914	Treasury 2¾s, 1956-59	100.2	99.17	99.23	—.7	99.20	99.23	2.77
101.22	98.10	303	Treasury 2½s, 1948-53	98.31	98.10	98.10	—.15	98.9	98.14	2.62
105.23	102.16	219	Federal Farm Mtg 3s, 1947	102.30	102.21	102.22	—.2	102.16	102.28	2.40
105.17	101.30	119	Federal Farm Mtg 3s, 1949	102.20	101.30	101.30	—.22	101.30	102.16	2.70
106.10	102.16	6	Federal Farm Mtg 3¼s, 1964	102.16	102.16	102.16	—1.15	103.21	103	2.85
105.3	101.14	388	Home Own Ln 3s, A 1952	102.4	101.14	101.18	—.12	101.16	101.18	2.78
103.2	99.28	685	Home Own Ln 2¾s, 1949	100.4	99.28	99.29	—.3	99.30	100	2.82
102.31	99.26	33	Home Own Ln 2¼s, 1942-44	99.30	99.26	99.30	—.2	99.28	99.30	2.26

Sales in thousands.	High	Low	Close
CORPORATION BONDS.			
A			
14 Alleghany 5 '44	98	97½	97½
12 Alleghany 5 '50 sta	64½	63	63
13 Am & For P 5 2030	80½	79¼	79¼
28 AmIG Chem 5½ '49	108⅛	107¾	107¾
29 Am T & T 3¾s '43	113¼	113	113¼
3 Am T Pdr cv '50	170½	169	169
57 AnacondaCop4½ '50	105½	105	105
2 Ang C Nitra deb '67	39¾	39¾	39¾
31 Arm Del 4 '55	96	95½	95½
18 A T & S F 4 '95	108¾	107¼	108¼
10 A C L cit 4 '52	95½	95	95½
B			
15 B & O rfg 6 '95	101¼	100⅝	100½
9 B & O 5 '96 F	90	89	89
63 B & O cvt 4½ '60	79¼	78¼	78½
59 B & O 4 '48	106¼	105⅝	105⅝
3 Bell T Pa 5 '48 B	118¼	117⅝	117⅝
31 Beth Stl 4½ '60	103⅛	102½	102½
15 Boston & Me 5 '67	86½	86	86⅛
C			
2 Can Nat Ry 4½ '56	110¾	110⅝	110¾
25 Can Pac 4½ '60	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
26 Can Pac 4 perp	90⅛	89⅞	90
4 Cen Ill E & G 5 '51	102⅞	102⅝	102⅝
5 Cen Pac 5 '60	100	100	100
7 Cen Pac 1st 4 '49	107¼	106⅞	107⅛
2 Certain-td 5½ '48	87	87	87
46 Chesap Corp 5 '47	138	135	135
9 C & O gen 4½ '92	117½	117½	117½
1 C & O rfg 3½ '96E	95½	95½	95½
16 Chi & Alton 3 '49	55⅛	55	55
7 C B & Q gen 4 '58	108½	108	108
47 Chi & E Ill 5 '51	41¼	40	40
52 Chic Gt West 4 '59	48	47½	47¾
152 CMSP & Pac 5 '75	32⅜	30⅛	31
235 CMSP&P ad 5 2000	11½	10¾	11
75 Chi&NW cv 4½ '49	22	21⅛	21⅛
65 CRI&P rfg 4 '34	23½	23	23
9 Chi & W Ind 4 '52	101½	101¼	101¼
9 CCC&StL 4½ '77	94	93⅞	94
15 Clev U T 4½ '77 C	101	100	100
5 Col&So 4½ '80	71	70½	70½
9 Colmbia G 5½ May	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
21 Colmbia G 5 '61	191	100½	100⅝
5 Com'l Inv Tr 3½ '51	99¾	99⅝	99¾
17 Con Edis 3¼ '46	103⅜	103¼	103¼
5 ConGas NY 4½ '51	106½	106⅜	106⅜
128 Con Oil 3½ '51	103½	102	102½
6 Consum Pw 5½ '70	100½	100¼	100⅜
9 Cuba No Ry 5½ '42	54½	54	54
D			
36 Del&Hud rfg 4 '43	91	90½	90½
24 D&RG 4 '36	34⅜	33⅝	33⅝
1 Del Ed 5 '53	107¾	107¾	107¾
16 Erie rf 5 '75	84	83½	83½
3 Erie gen lien 4 '96	85¼	85¼	85¼
F			
11 Fla E Cst 5 '74	18	17½	17½
G			
2 Gen Cable 5½ '47	105¾	105⅝	105¾
2 Gen Stl Cast 5½ '49	92	92	92
5 Goodrich 6 '45	106¾	106	106⅛
10 Goodyr T & R 5 '57	104¼	103½	103½
4 Gt Nor 4½ '77 E	102¾	102¾	102¾
81 Gt Nor 4 '46 G	130⅛	127	127½
50 Gt Nor 4 '46 H	109¼	109	109¼
63 Hiram Walk 4¼ '45	106¾	105	105
3 Hous Oil Tex 5½ '40	102	102	102
23 Hudson Coal 5 '62A	46½	45⅝	46
8 Hud & M rfg 5 '57	78¾	78½	78¾
17 Hud & Man in 5 '57	35	34½	34⅞
I			
33 Ill Bell T 3½ '70 B	102¾	102¼	102½
11 Ill Cen 4⅜ '66	75½	75	75⅜
41 IC&CBL&NO 5 '63A	87¼	86½	86⅝
4 Ill Steel 4½ '40	106¾	106¾	106¾
6 Interb R Tr 7 '32	84½	84	84
2 Interb RTr rfg 5 '66	92⅝	92½	92⅝
32 Int Hydro El 6 '44	79½	77¾	77¾
2 Int Paper 5 '47	100	100	100
33 Int T&T 4½ '52	68	67⅜	67¾
45 Int T&T deb '55	73	72	72
3 K C South 5 '50	96½	95¾	95¾
3 K C Term 4 '60	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
L			
16 Lac Gas 5½ '53	61	60	61
5 Lautaro Nit 6 '54	41¾	41¼	41¼
6 Leh Val 4 2003	64	64	64
1 Liggett & M 7 '44	130	130	130
39 Loews 3½ '46	98½	97½	97¾
5 Lou & Ark 5 '69	95¼	95¼	95¾
5 Louis & N 4 '40	105⅞	105½	105½
37 Louis & N 3½ 2003	93¼	92¼	92⅝
M			
3 McKes&Rob 5½ '50	103¼	103	103
3 Mil El Ry&L 5 '71	104⅛	104	104
6 MSP&SSM con 4 '38	29	28½	28½
14 M-K-Tex 5 '62 A	82	82	82
14 M-K-Tex 1st 4 '90	86⅛	86	86
135 Mo Pac 5½ '49	18	16¾	17
1 Mo Pac 5 '77 F	42½	42	42
22 Mo Pac gen 4 '75	20⅛	20¼	20¼
19 Mo Pac 5 '81 I	43	41⅝	41⅝

Dow-Jones Bonds.

By the United Press.

New York, March 22.

40 bonds	101.65	—0.30
10 first rails	106.96	—0.09
10 second rails	90.30	—0.64
10 utilities	104.93	—0.20
10 industrials	105.30	—0.30

Sales in thousands.	High	Low	Close
N			
21 Nat Dairy 3¾ '51	104	102½	102½
13 Natl Steel 4 '65	103¾	103¼	103¼
2 New Eng T&T 5 '52	120	120	120
6 N O Pub Sv 5 '55B	98½	98	98
224 N Y C cvt 6 '44	126	120½	121¾
15 N Y C rf 5 2013	98¾	97¾	98
13 N Y C con 4 '98	97⅜	97	97⅜
11 NYC&HR 4½ 2013	91½	90⅝	90⅝
22 NYC&HE 3½ '97	97	95⅝	97
17 NY Ch&St L 4½ '78	92¼	91½	92
1 NYNH&H cvt 6 '48	52	52	52
4 N Y Edis 3¼ '66	99½	99	99
2 NYH&H 4½ '67	47¼	47¼	47¼
6 NY Tel 4½ '39	107⅜	107¼	107¼
8 NY W&Bost 4½ '46	19	18½	18½
2 Niagara Sh 5½ '50	103⅝	103⅜	103⅝
6 Norf&W 4 '96	112½	112⅛	112½
7 Nor Am Co 5 '61	104	103⅝	104
2 Nor Am Ed 5 '69 C	100¼	100	100
135 Nor Pac 6 2047	110½	109¾	109¾
6 Nor Pac 4 '97	103	102⅝	102⅝
9 Nor Pac 3 2047	72	71½	72
O			
9 Or-WashRR&N 4 '61	104½	104½	104½
P			
20 Pac G&E 3¾ '61	100¾	100	100
75 Pac T&T 3¼ '66 B	100	99½	99½
14 Para Pict 6 '55	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
11 Penn Dix 6 '41 A	100	99⅝	99⅝
22 Pen P&Lt 4½ '81	105¾	105	105
13 Pen RR gen 5 '68	114½	113½	113½
26 Pen RR gen 4½ '65	107¾	107	107
18 Pen RR 4½ deb '70	100	99⅝	99⅝
31 Pen RR 3¾ '70	97⅞	97½	97½
1 Peo GL&C Chi 5 '47	112¾	112¾	112¾
10 Phila Co 5 '67	104½	104	104¼
33 Phil Read C&I 6 '49	16½	16	16
14 Ph Read C&I 5 '73	38	37¾	37¾
10 Portl Gen E 4½ '60	66	65¼	65¾
81 Postal T & C 5 '53	34½	34⅛	34⅛
4 Pressed Stl C 5 '51	96¼	96¼	96¼
27 Pure Oil 4¼ '50 ww	119	117½	118⅛
R			
2 Readg 4½ '97 A	106½	106	106½
34 Rem Rand 4¼ '56	107	105½	105½
15 Republic Stl 4½ '61	97	96¼	96¾
S			
7 StLIM&S 4 R&G '33	82	81½	81½
108 St-L-S-F 4½ '78	30½	29½	29⅝
5 St L S F 4 '50 A	33½	32¾	32¾
102 Seab A L con 6 '45	20¼	19⅝	19⅝
33 Sea-A Fla 6'35 A ct	11⅞	11⅝	11¾
17 Shell Un 2½ '51	97	96	96¼
4 So Bell T&T 5 '41	106⅜	106½	106½
26 Sou Pac 4½ '81	92	91¼	91½
21 So Pac rfg 4 '55	104½	103⅞	104
83 So Pac 3¾ '46	99	98½	98½
6 Sou Ry con 5 '94	108	107½	108
20 South Ry gen 4 '56	82	81	81
23 Stand Oil N J 3 '61	96¾	96¼	96¼
17 Studebaker 6 cvt '45	140	134¼	134¼
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Life College Observes 10th Anniversary

Dr. David McCahan, Dean, Addresses Gathering of Underwriters.

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America. He discussed further life underwriting in these times of economic change.

President Robert V. Fleming, of Riggs National Bank, immediate past president of the American Bankers Association, who is also a director of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., expressed the appreciation of the bankers for the professional attitude toward life underwriting as practiced by C. L. U. members.

Stanton C. Peelle, prominent local lawyer, discussing standards of practice, commended members of the college on achieving for life insurance a high standard of proficiency, in meeting their clients' needs and properly underwriting them. James A. Councilor, a past president of the Institute of Certified Public Accountants, described a parallel between the growth of the professions of accounting and life underwriting, and congratulated members upon bringing the designation "C. L. U." to a point of meaning in life insurance that "C. P. A." signifies in accounting.

DeForce Presides.

James A. DeForce, president of the local chapter, presided. Paul D. Sleeper, vice president; Frank D. Roach, secretary and treasurer, and the following chapter members were present: J. Hicks Baldwin, Edward S. Brashears, H. Lawrence Choate, Lawrence C. Crawford, H. Cochran Fisher, Benjamin A. Harlan, Harrison R. Hathaway, Karl S. Hoffman, Harold D. Krafft, George Link, J. Alan Maphis, Joseph A. Marr, Samuel E. Mooers, T. Loehl O'Brien, J. Mitchell Owens, Troy M. Rodlun, Earle W. Sapp, Dwight T. Scott, Russell Shelk, and Morton H. Wilner.

Washington candidates for the C. L. U. designation, who attended were: George L. Ashby, George W. Bahlke, jr., Roger L. Baldwin, James H. Benner, Charles L. Brown, Frederick A. Bryan, John B. Cleland, William A. Davenny, Edward Duhey, John L. Fleming, Charlton M. Gaines, Richard W. Griswold, Paul F. Grove, Paul W. Hammack, W. Ford Harvey, Roy E. Hughes, Albert H. Jackman, John A. Kolb, John L. McElfresh, Frederick V. McNair, Robert B. Montgomery, William B. Penn and John H. Rick.

Guests of the Washington chapter were Arthur J. Altmeyer, Adam Arnold, Albert W. Atwood, Charles S. Baker, Jerome F. Barnard, David S. Bethune, Ned A. Bord, David Bornet, William P. Brownell, Morris Cafritz, Thomas M. Cahill, E. Taylor Chewning, T. McDonald Childress, Representative William M. Citron.

Other Guests.

Gilbert A. Clark, Walter B. Clarkson, F. George Clendaniel, James E. Colliflower, Charles R. Connolly, Albert E. Conradis, Claude A. Cook, John H. Cowles, Justice Joseph W. Cox, Lloyd K. Crippen, Thomas R. Crowley, Terence F. Cunneen, Ara M. Daniels, Clarence Phelps Dodge, George M. Ferris, Michael Flynn, Benjamin S. Foster, Russell P. Freeman, V. Bon Geaslin, Theodore E. Gero, Joseph M. M. Gray, American University; Thomas J. Groom, John W. Guider, Frederick M. Hakenjos, Byron B. Harlan, Richard Hatton, John W. Heisse, Ralph E. Heitmuller, Bynum E. Hinton, John B. Hyde, Howard W. Kacy, Joseph D. Kaufman, Samuel H. Kauffmann, William F. Kelly, Senator William H. King, Dr. Andrew J. Kress.

Also Maj. Richard D. LaGarde, Robert F. Leonard, the Rev. Albert H. Lucas, Donald Macleay, Donald R. MacLeod, John D. Marsh, La Noue Matta, Leo C. May, Dr. William McClellan, the Right Rev. Patrick J. McCormick, J. E. Bill McCombs, Lowell Mellett, Carroll B. Merriam, Edward D. Merrill, William Montgomery, L. Gardner Moore, Thomas P. Morgan, jr., Edgar Morris.

Also Dr. Harold G. Moulton, Benjamin Ourisman, Robert C. Owers, Horace W. Parsley, Representative Theodore A. Peyer, Paul Primm, Merlo J. Pusey, Karl Riemer, Laurance H. Riggles, Harold S. Roberts, Dr. Albert E. Rogers, A. G. Russell, Representative Adolph J. Sabath, Charles M. Schwab, Fred H. Shuler, William V. Simmons, Dr. George Albert Smith, James A. Soper, Dr. William Mercer Sprigg, the Rev. Anson Phelps Stokes, Edward C. Stone, John M. Strait, Robert B. Swope, Jack B. Tate, Eugene M. Thore, Harry Viner, Croom Walker, James C. Wilkes, Bernard L. Wilner, Joseph A. Wilner, Ralph M. Wolfe.

Bank Stocks

New York, March 22 (AP).(New York Security Dealers Association)

Bank and Trust.	Bid.	Asked.
Bank of Manh (1½)	34½	36½
Bankers Tr (2)	73½	75½
Cen Han Bk & Tr (4)	135	138
Chase Nat (1.40)	57	59
Chem Bk & Tr (1.80)	72	74
Commercial (8)	208	214
Cont Bk & Tr (.80)	19¼	20¾
Corn Ex Bk & Tr (3)	68¼	69½
Empire Tr (1)	34¾	35¾
First Nat (Bos) (2)	57	59
First Natl (100)	2445	2485
Guaranty Tr (12)	364	369
Irving Tr (.60)	17½	18½
Manufacturers Tr (2)	61½	63½
Manufacturers Tr pf (2)	53	55
Natl City (1)	53	55
N Y Trust (5)	145	148
Public (1½)	52½	54½
Title G & T	16	17
Insurance.		
Aetna Cas (2a)	102½	106½
Aetna Ins (1.60)	30½	32½
Aetna Life (1)	30½	32
Am Equit (1.60)	42	45
Am Ins Newark (½a)	13¼	14¾
Am Reins (3)	45	47
Am Reserve (1a)	31	33
Am Surety (2)	59½	61½
Automobile (1a)	33	35
Balt Amer (.20a)	8	9
Carolina (1.30)	27½	29
City of N Y (1.20)	28¼	29¾
Conn Gen Life (.80)	39	40½
Contin Cas (1.20)	29¼	31¼
Fid & Dep (1g)	131	134½
Firemens Newark	12¼	13¾
Frank Fire (1a)	30¾	32¾
Gen Reinsur (2)	47¼	49¼
Glens Falls (1.60)	46	48
Globe & Rep (.80)	22¾	24¾
Globe & Rut	74	77
Great Amer (1a)	27¾	29¼
Hanover (1.60)	37¾	39¾
Harmonia (1.30)	27½	29
Hartford Fire (2)	71¼	73½
Home Fire Sec	6½	7¾
Home Ins (1a)	40¼	42¼
Homestead (1)	19¾	21¼
Lincoln Fire	4¾	5¾
Mass Bond (3½)	61¾	64½
Natl Fire (2)	64½	66½
Natl Liberty (.20a)	9½	11
New Hamp (1.60)	43¼	46½
N Y Fire (.80a)	24	26
North River (.45g)	27¾	29¼
Phoenix (2a)	91½	95½
Prov Wash (1)	39¾	41¾
St Paul Fire (6)	208	213
Springfield (4½a)	123½	128½
Sun Life (3¾g)	700	750
Travelers (16)	488	498
U S Fire (2)	55½	57½
Westchester (1.20a)	35¼	37¼

(x) Also extra or extras.
(z) Declared or paid so far this year.

By the Associated Press.

Sales—Total yesterday, 2,021,750; previous day, 713,630; week ago, 1,767,630; year ago, 1,678,350; two years ago, 483,574; January 1 to date, 150,705,306; year ago, 169,222,103; two years ago, 47,447,813.

Dow-Jones Averages

New York, March 22.

Stocks—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net ch.
30 industrials	182.35	182.83	179.28	179.82	—4.22
20 rails	81.47	81.69	78.86	80.18	—2.40
20 utilities	32.56	32.69	31.88	31.92	—0.81

Transactions in stocks used in averages today:

Industrials	221,600
Rails	184,300
Utilities	111,400

Commodities Range

	Yesterday.	Prev. day.	Week ago.	Month ago.	Year ago.
Cotton, N. Y. (May)	14.06	13.95	14.69	12.42	11.05
Wheat, Chicago (May)	1.38¼	1.32¼	1.36¼	1.32⅝	97⅞
Corn, Chicago (May)	1.11⅜	1.10⅜	1.09⅝	1.06½	59
Oats, Chicago (May)	47	47	47⅝	48 ¼	25 ⅝
Cattle, choice steers, Balto	11.10	11.00	10.50	10.00	8.75
Hogs, choice, Baltimore	11.00	10.95	10.90	10.90	11.50
Lambs, choice, Baltimore	12.50	13.00	12.00	11.50	11.50
Eggs, special, New York	31.50	31.50	29.00	28.00	26.00
Butter, N. Y. creamery	36.75	36.75	36.00	34.50	30.34
Flour, New York	8.80	8.65	8.05	8.60	6.85
Coffee, New York	11 ⅛	11 ⅛	11 ⅝	11 ⅜	8.75
Raw sugar, New York	3.42	3.45	3.45	3.50	3.50
Pittsburgh bar steel	2.47½	2.47½	2.47½	2.20	1.85
Rubber, New York	24.80	24.63	23.50	20.98	1.⅜3
Pig iron	24.00	24.00	24.00	21.00	19.50
Tin	62 ⅛	63 ⅞	61.00	54.50	48.12
Copper, electrolytic	16.25	16.25	16.25	15.00	9.50
Bar gold, London (s)	34.77	34.77	34.76	34.78	34.96
Bar silver, New York	45.25	45.25	45 ⅝	44.75	44.75
Zinc, East St. Louis	7.50	7.50	7.50	6.80	4.90
Lead, New York	7.00	7.00	7.75	6.00	4.60

1937 High	Low	Name and Dividend Rate	Sales—Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
		A					
55	48	Abbott Lab (1.80a)	2	51¾	51¾	51¾	—
80¼	63¾	Acme Sti (4)	6	76¼	74¾	74¾	— 2¼
27½	15	Adams Exp (.55e)	29	20⅝	19½	19½	— 1
28⅜	25	Adams-Millis (2)	4	25¼	25	25¼	+ ⅛
36	31⅝	Addressog (1)	5	32½	31¾	32¾	— ⅛
4⅝	3	Advance Rume	1	3	3	3	—
80¾	72½	Air Reduc (1a)	6	73½	72¾	72¾	— 1¼
5¼	3⅝	Air-Way El Ap	4	3½	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛
15½	11⅜	Alaska Jun (.60a)	11	14⅞	14⅝	14⅝	—
5⅝	3½	Alleghany	71	4⅝	4½	4½	— ⅛
59⅝	43½	Allex pf (20) ww	7	53	50	50	— 4
52¼	41½	Alleg pr pf	1	47½	47½	47½	— ½
45¾	36¼	Alleg Steel (.40g)	19	42	39¼	39¾	— 2¼
258	225	Al Chem & Dye (6)	7	236	234	234	— 5
33½	26¼	Allied Mills (½g)	1	26½	26¾	26¾	— ⅜
21⅞	16¼	Allied Stra (.20g)	64	19¼	18½	18½	— ⅜
85	81	Allied St pf (5)	4	83½	83½	83½	— ⅜
83	63¼	Allis-Ch Mfg (½g)	55	65	63¼	65	— ⅜
8¾	4⅞	Amal Lea	37	7½	6¾	6¾	— ¼
52	34¼	Amal Lea pf (3)	4	51	43	43	— 3
114½	101	Amerada (2)	9	105½	104¾	104¾	— 2¾
101	83	Am Ag Ch Del (1g)	10	92	88	88	— 5
41¾	30¼	Am Bank Note (¼g)	6	30⅜	30¼	30¼	— ⅛
75½	63	Am Bank N pf (3)	1.20	62½	62	62	— ½
80½	60	Am Brake Shoe (2)	1	66½	66	66	—
160	135	Am Br Shoe pf (5¼)	30	130	130	130	— 5
121	105⅝	Am Can (4a)	14	107	106	106⅝	+ ⅛
71	56	Am Car & Fdy	5	62¾	61	61	— 3
104½	93	Am Car & F pf	1	93	93	93	— 1½
90¾	72	Am Chain & Cab (1g)	3	82¼	81½	81½	— ⅝
23	13⅜	Am Colortype	3	19¾	19¼	19¼	— ½
29¾	26⅜	Am Coml Alco(½e)	8	28	27½	27½	— ¼
35⅜	28⅝	Am Crystal Sug (2g)	7	29	28⅝	28⅝	— 1
99	96	Am Crystal S 6% pf(6)	20	97	97	97	— 1
13½	8¼	Am Encaus Til	18	12¼	11¾	11¾	— ⅛
13⅝	7¼	Am & For Pow	98	11⅞	10⅝	10⅝	— 1¼
58⅞	49	Am & F P 1st pf	3	50¼	50¼	50¼	— ¼
68⅞	58	Am & F P 2d pf	3	59½	59½	59½	— 1⅞
38¼	20¼	Am & F P 2 pf	6	32	29	29	— 3
21⅜	18	Am-Hawaii 5S (1)	4	19¼	18⅜	18⅜	— ⅛
11¼	6¼	Am Hide & Lea	70	9⅞	9⅝	9⅝	— ⅛
50	35	Am H & L pf (3)	8	50	47¾	47¾	— 2⅛
4¾	2½	Am Ice	13	4¼	4¼	4¼	—
27½	17¼	Am Ice pf (½g)	5	26	24¾	24⅞	—
17⅜	13⅝	Am Internat (.40e)	22	16¼	15½	15½	— ⅜
58	43	Am Loco	19	51	48	48	— 3
124¾	114	Am Loco pf	1	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝	— ⅜
28¼	22¾	Am M & Fdy (¼g)	11	26	25⅛	25⅛	— 1¼
13⅜	11½	Am M & Met (.30g)	6	11⅝	11¼	11¼	— ⅛
68⅜	50¼	Am Metal	22	61½	60	60	— ¼
129¼	124	Am Met 6% pf (6)	5	122½	122½	122½	— 1½
75	62	Am News (3)	2	64	64	64	—
16¼	11⅞	Am Pow & Lt	51	13	12½	12½	— ¾
74	68¼	Am P & L 56 pf (6)	4	68½	68	68	—
72½	55¼	Am P&L 55 pf (5)	5	58	57	57	— 1
29¼	19¼	Am Rad & St S(.60)	93	24¾	24⅛	24⅛	— ⅝
45¼	33⅜	Am Roll Mill (1.20)	137	39¼	37½	37⅝	— 1½
39⅜	31	Am Safety Raz (2)	2	31	31	31	—
29	23⅛	Am Seating (2½e)	4	25½	25	25	— ⅜
58	41	Am Ship Bldg (2)	3.30	55½	53½	54	— 2½
105⅝	89	Am Smelt & R (1½g)	93	96	92¼	93½	— 4¾
7⅛	3⅜	Am Smelt R(x)	224	5¼	4⅝	4⅝	— ⅛
107	105	Am Smelt 2 pf (6)	4	106½	106½	106½	—
73½	57½	Am Snuff (3a)	1	61	61	61	—
73½	58⅛	Am Stl Fdrs (½g)	21	60	57½	57½	— 3½
115	103	Am Stl F pf (7)	20	110¼	110¼	110½	+ ⅛
26½	22	Am Stores (2)	22	23½	23½	23½	+ ⅛
57⅞	48½	Am Sugar Ref (2)	8	49	48½	48½	—
26⅜	20¾	Am Sumat Tob (1)	4	22	21⅝	21⅝	— ⅜
187	168½	Am Tel & Tel (9)	36	171	168½	168½	— 2¾
99	78½	Am Tob (5)	10	79½	78½	78½	— 1
99⅞	80¾	Am Tob B (5)	10	81¼	80¾	80¾	— ⅛
20¼	16½	Am Type Fdrs	23	17	16⅜	16⅜	— ⅜
29½	23¼	Am Wat Wks (.20g)	31	24	23¼	23¼	— ⅛
14¾	9⅜	Am Woolen	17	12¼	11¼	11¼	— ⅝
79	64	Am Wool pf (1k)	7	72¼	70¾	70¾	— 1⅝
1¾	1⅛	Am Wtg P	4	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	+ ⅛
9⅜	6	Am Wtg P pf	27	6¾	5¾	6	— ⅛
20	6¾	Am Zinc L & S	94	16	14½	14¾	— 1⅝
29¼	24	Am Zinc pr pf	1	62	62	62	— 4½
69¼	52½	Anaconda (¼g)	296	62½	59¾	59¾	— 3¼
24⅝	18	Anchor Cap (.15g)	37	23⅝	22⅝	22⅝	+ ⅛
46	41	Arch-Dan-M (½g)	1	43½	43½	43½	—
111	65¼	Armour Del pf (7)	4	110	109¾	110	+ ¼
13⅜	7	Arm Ill (.15g)	128	12⅜	11⅞	11⅞	— ⅜
99½	81¾	Arm Ill pr pf (6)	1	97	97	97	—
70½	39	Armstrong Cork (½g)	22	68	66¾	67	— 1
16¼	4	Arnold Const (⅝e)	15	14¾	14	14	— 1¼
17⅜	14	Artloom	4	14	13½	14	— ½
24¼	19⅛	Assd Dry Goods	12	21½	20½	20¾	— ½
101	90	Assd Dry Gds 1 pf (6)	1	99	99	99	—
53½	50	Assoc Invest (2)	1	50	50	50	—
87⅞	69½	Atch T & S F (2e)	38	83¾	78½	80	— 3¾
107	90¾	Atchison pf (5)	2	101½	100⅞	100⅞	— ⅛
53½	44⅛	Atl Coast Line (1a)	26	50½	47¾	47¾	— 3¼
37	30¼	Atl Refin (1)	26	33	32	32	— 1⅜
116⅛	111½	Atl Refin pf (4)	1	111½	111½	111½	—
18⅜	17¾	Atlas Corp (.80)	60	18	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
52⅛	51½	Atlas Corp pf (3)	1	51¾	51¾	51¾	+ ⅛
18¼	14½	Atlas Tack (¾g)	3	17	16¾	16¾	— ¼
36¾	30	Auburn Auto	1	34	28½	28½	+ ¼
9½	7⅛	Aust Nigh	6	8	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
9¼	6¾	Aviation Corp	79	8¼	8	8	— ⅛
		B					
11¾	8	Baldwin Loc	87	8⅜	8	8	— 1
9½	7½	Baldwin Loc asd	60	8	7½	7¾	+ ⅛
120	80¾	Bald Loc pf	10	120	119	119	+ 4
120	88½	Bald Loc pf asd	10	120	119	119	+ 1¼
40½	20⅜	Balt & Ohio	235	37⅞	35½	35⅝	— 1⅝
47⅜	32⅜	Balt & O pf	23	43¾	41½	43	— 1
45	41	Bang & Ar (2½)	1	43¾	43¾	43¾	+ ¾
110½	105	Bang & Ar pf (5)	80	108½	107	107	— 2
43⅜	35½	Barber Co (¾e)	31	39	37¾	37½	— 1⅞
32	25¾	Barker Bros	2	28	27¾	27¾	—
41¾	36¾	Barker pf (2¾)	20	41¾	41½	41½	—
35	26⅜	Barnsdall (1)	71	30⅞	29¾	29¾	— 1⅛
20¼	16⅞	Bayuk Cigar (.183⅓g)	7	17¼	16⅞	16⅞	— ⅜
28⅜	25	Beatrice Cr (1g)	1	25¼	25¼	25¼	— ⅛
44	36	Beech Creek RR (2) EX	20	43	43	43	—
105⅝	102⅛	Beech Cr pf ww (5)	2	102⅜	102⅛	102¼	— ⅜
15¼	13	Belding Hem (1)	3	13¾	13½	13½	— ⅛
30½	25	Bendix Aviat (¼g)	16	28⅜	25¼	25¼	— ¼
23¾	21	Benef Ind Ln (.45g)	6	21	20¾	20¾	— ¼
63¾	56½	Best & Co (2½a)	2	57	56⅞	57	—
105½	72	Beth Stl (1½e)	118	93½	91½	92	— 3
20	18⅜	Beth Stl 5 pf (1)	1	19¼	19¼	19¼	—
129½	122½	Beth Stl 7 pf (7)	2	124	122½	122½	— 1½
69¼	58½	Bigelow-San (⅓g)	1	58¼	58¼	58¼	—
36	28	Black & Decker (½g)	3	31	31	31	— 1
29⅛	23¾	Blaw-Knox (.20g)	36	27¾	26½	26½	— 1⅝
120	77¼	Blumenthal pf	80	92	91½	91½	—
49¾	33⅜	Boeing Airpl	39	45½	43¾	43¾	— 1⅜
47½	41	Bohn Alum (3)	7	43½	42¾	42¾	— 1¼
93	85¼	Bon Ami A (2g)	1	87	85¼	85½	— ⅛
45⅜	41⅜	Bon Ami B (1¼g)	1	44	43½	44	—
27½	26½	Borden (1.60)	33	27½	26¾	26⅝	— ⅛
83½	72⅛	Borg-Warner (4)	7	80¼	79½	79½	— 1⅜
14	8⅛	Boston & Me	12	14	12½	12½	— 1¼
4½	3	Botany C M A		3½	3½	3½	—
23¼	16¾	Bridgeport Brass (.60)	32	19¾	18⅞	19	— ⅛
59¾	47⅞	Briggs Mfg (½g)	15	48¼	45¼	46½	— 1⅜
53½	44	Briggs & Strat (3)	1	46	46	46	—
47	42	Bristol-My (2.40)	3	42¾	42¾	42¾	+ ¾
8	6⅝	Bklyn & Qu T		6¾	6¼	6¼	—
53	40	Bklyn-Man T (2g)	5	43	43	43	—
52¾	41	Bklyn Un Gas (3)	5	41¼	41	41	— ¼
24½	18⅜	Brunswick-Bal	10	20⅞	20½	20½	— 1
25½	19½	Bucyrus-Erie	35	20¼	19½	19⅝	— ⅜
17¾	13⅜	Budd Mfg	50	12¾	11⅞	11⅞	—
13	9½	Budd Wheel (.20e)	21	10⅝	10⅛	10⅛	— ⅜
45	34⅜	Bullard Co (¼g)	6	39¼	39	39	—
65¼	51	Bulova Watch (4a)	8	56	54¼	54½	— 1⅜
33½	31	Burr Ad Mach (.80)	10	32	31	31	— 1
11¾	7⅛	Bush Term	9	9	9	9	—
45¼	24¼	Bush T Bldg pf ctf	10	35½	35½	35½	+ ¼
18¾	13⅜	Butler Bros (.15g)	36	17	16¼	16¼	— ⅝
36¼	29¼	Butler Bros pf (1½)	9	33¼	33	33	— ¾
9¼	5⅜	Butte Cop & Z (.05e)	52	6	5⅞	5⅞	—
33¾	27⅞	Byers Co	31	29½	27	27½	— 2⅛
90	83¾	Byers pf	80	81	81	81	— 3½
34¾	27	Byron Jack (¼g)	11	32	31½	31½	— ⅛
		C					
48¼	40⅛	Calif Pack (¾a)	5	40½	40⅛	40¼	— ⅜
50½	50	Calif Pack pf (2½)	2	50	50	50	— ⅛
6½	2⅝	Callahan Z-Ld	140	4¼	3⅞	3⅞	— ⅛
20⅝	15¼	Calumet & Hec (¼g)	61	16¼	15	15⅛	— 1⅛
37⅞	31⅞	Campbell Wy (1)	2	32	31⅜	31⅜	— ¾
38¼	27¼	Can D G Ale	113	36¼	34¼	34¼	— 1⅞
17½	14¼	Canad Pac	90	14⅝	14	14	— ⅛
18½	12¾	Cap Adm A (1e)	4	16½	16⅛	16⅛	—
53	45⅞	Cap Adm pf A (3)	70	51	51	51	—
106	90	Caro C & O stpd (5)	50	101⅛	101	101	— ½
8¾	7	Carriers & Gen (.05g)	12	8	7⅞	8	+ ⅛
175	38	Case (J I) (4e)	12	150½	149	149	— 4
143	116	Case (J I) pf (7)	10	118	118	118	— 2¼
100	85½	Caterpil Tract (2)	8	91	88	88	— 3
36⅜	25⅜	Celanese (⅝g)	40	31	31⅜	31⅝	— 1⅛
43⅜	37⅜	Celotex	3	43	41½	42½	— 1
86½	76	Celotex pf (5)	1	77	76	76	— 2
12⅝	3⅜	Cent Pdy	57	11⅛	10½	10⅝	— ⅛
41¾	37	Cent R R N J	2	36¼	36⅛	36⅛	— ⅞
24¾	17	Cent Violeta Sug	2	17¾	17¼	17¼	— ¾
96⅝	67½	Cerro de Pas (4)	32	77	74	74	— 4
23¼	16⅛	Certain-teed	26	18	17½	17½	— ⅛
82	67⅞	Cert-teed 6% pf (6)	2.20	74	73	73	— 2
57	35½	Champ Pap & F (¼g)	13	55	52¼	52¼	— 4¼
68⅝	59⅞	Ches & Ohio (2.80)	47	61	59⅞	60	— 1½
100	76¼	Ches & Oh pf (4)	2	99	99	99	—
4¾	3⅛	Chi & E Ill	1	4⅛	4	4	— ⅛
13½	6⅞	Chi & E Ill pf	4	12	11¼	11¼	— 1¼
6¾	3½	Chi & N W	25	5¾	5½	5¼	— ⅛
19½	11½	Chi & N W pf	2	17	16¼	16¼	— 1⅜
4	2¾	Chi Gt West	12	3⅝	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛
18¼	13⅜	Chi Gt W pf	11	16¾	15¾	15¾	— ⅜
12	8	Chi Ind & L pf	20	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
33½	25⅞	Chi Mail Or (1½a)	3	28½	28¼	28¼	— ⅛
3¼	2	Chi M St P & P	23	3	2¾	2¾	— ⅛
7½	4⅜	Chi M St P & P pf	33	6½	6⅛	6¼	— ⅜
33	23	Chi Pneu T	8	26½	25⅞	25⅞	— 1⅜
70½	61½	Chi Pneu T pf (⅜k) EX	1	64¼	64¼	64¼	— ¾
3¾	2¼	Chi Rk Is & P	6	3½	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛
8¾	3⅝	C R I & P 6% pf	5	7¾	7¼	7¼	— ⅛
16½	6¾	C R I & P 7% pf	4	9¾	8½	8½	— ⅛
22⅛	18¾	Chick Cot Oil	1	19	19	19	— ⅜
15¾	12½	Childs Co	11	13½	13¼	13¼	— ⅜
135	110¾	Chrysler (1½g)	156	124⅛	120⅛	121½	— 5½
21	18	City Ice & F (2)	1	20¼	19¾	19¾	—
92½	85	City I & F pf (6½)	10	88¼	88¼	88¼	— 1
10⅝	9	City Strs	1	9¼	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
37	32½	Clark Equip (1.60)	4	33½	32½	32½	— 1¼
90¾	35	Clev Graph Br (½g)	1	37½	37½	37½	— 2
87	81	Cluett Pea (3)	5	87	86½	86½	— 1
163½	138	Coca-Cola (2)	14	160	154½	154½	— 5
25¾	19¼	Colgate-Palm (⅛)	101	24⅞	23¾	24	— 1
62¾	55¾	Coll & Alk (2a)	7	58	55½	55½	— 1⅜
27¼	21	Col & Sou	20	25	25	25	—
30	24¾	Col & Sou 1 pf	20	26½	26⅛	26⅛	—
29	25	Col & Sou 2 pf	50	27	27	27	— ¼
51	43	Col Fuel & Ir (1g)	4	44⅞	43	43	— 3
20½	16½	Colum G & El (.40e)	74	16¾	16⅛	16¼	— ⅜
39½	30¾	Colum Pict vtc (1a)	7	34	33	33¼	— ¾
31¼	29½	Colum Pict pf (2¾)	1	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞	— ⅛
124	112¼	Colum Carb (4a)	3	116½	115¼	115¼	— 4¾
69¼	58	Coml Credit (4)	16	59	58	58¼	— ⅜
128	100½	Coml Cred pf (4¼)	1	100⅝	100⅝	100

N. Y. Curb Stock Transactions

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Total stock sales yesterday, 545,000 shares; year ago, 503,900 shares. Total bond sales yesterday, $2,500,000; year ago, $2,318,000.

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
A			
.25 Acme Wire vtc (2)	48	48	48
6 Aero S Mfg B	5¾	5¾	5¾
2 Ainsworth (1½)	17⅛	17	17
1.20 Ala Pwr 37 pf (7)	79¾	77⅞	77⅞
.20 Ala Pwr 36 pf (6)	68	67½	67½
2 Allen Indus (1)	23½	23	23
1 Alliance Inv	5	5	5
18.50 Alum Co Am	176½	169	169
2 Alum Co pf (6)	118	117	117
1 Alum Gds (1¼)	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
9.50 Alum Ltd	139¾	134¼	134¼
1 Alum Ltd pf (6	130	130	130
2 Am Airlines	27¾	27⅝	27½
2 Am Beverage	3	3	3
2 Am Box Bd (½)	20	19½	19½
1 Am Capital B	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
.25 Am C F&LA (2h)	36	36	36
1 AmCP&LA vtw (2¾h)	39¼	39¼	39¼
9 Am CP&LB (.20e)	5¾	5⅝	5⅝
17 Am Cyan B (.60)	30¼	29⅝	29⅝
.25 Am Dist Tel NJ (5)	125	125	125
1 Am & F P war	3⅝	3¼	3¼
1 Am & S H (1)	22	22	22
21 Am G & E (1.40)	37⅝	36¼	36¼
1 Am G&E pf (6)	109¼	109	109
7 Am Gen (½e)	11⅜	11¼	11¼
.80 Am Gen 12 pf (2)	34⅝	34⅜	34⅜
1 Am Inv III (2)	37	37	37
3 Am L Mach (.80)	34½	33	33
3 Am Lt & T (1.20a)	21⅛	21	21
1.50 Am Mfg (3e)	41	39¼	39¼
122 Am Maracaibo	2⅛	2	2
1 Am Meter (2¼)	46	46	46
1 Am P & Ch (2¼e)	44½	43½	43½
49 Am Sup Pwr	2⅛	2	2⅛
2 Am Sup P 1 pf (6)	90	88	88
2 Am Sup P pf	43	43	43
1 Anch Post F	4¼	4¼	4¼
6 Ang Wupp (.20a)	8⅛	7⅞	8⅛
1 Apex Elec (1e)	35	35	35
.50 Appal El P pf (7)	106¼	106	106
9 Arctur Rad Tube	2	1⅞	2
1 Ark Nat Gas	10⅝	9¾	9¾
108 Ark Nat Gas A	11	10¼	10¼
17 Ark Nat Gas pf	9½	9¼	9¼
15 Ashland O&R (.40)	7⅜	7⅛	7⅛
3 Asso G & E	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
31 Asso G & E A	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
26 Atl Cst Fish	11¼	10½	10½
1 Atl Cst L Co (2¼e)	54	53	53
2 Atlas Corp war	3¼	3¼	3¼
6 Atlas Ply (2g)	27¼	26¾	26¾
1 Austin Silver M	2¾	2¾	2¾
7 Automat Prod	7¾	7½	7½
13 Auto V Mch (½)	11¾	11	11
.10 Axton Fis A (3.20)	37¾	37¾	37¾
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1.25 Babcock & W (2g)	145	143	143
46 Baldwin Bd rts	3⅛	3	3
11 Bardstown Dis	4½	4¼	4¼
20 Barium Sta Sv	6¾	6½	6½
3 Bell Aire	15⅝	15½	15½
1 Bellanca Aire	7¼	7	7
8 Berk & Gay Furn	3	2⅞	3
15 Berk & G F war	1⅝	1⅛	1⅝
1 Bickfords (1.20)	15	15	15
.25 Bickfords pf (2½)	37½	37½	37½
11 Bliss & L W	21⅜	20⅞	20⅞
1 Blue Ridge (.10e)	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
1 Blue Rid cv pf (3h)	43¾	43¾	43¾
.80 Bohack (H C)	10	10	10
1 Botany Cons M	5	5	5
11 Bow R Bear (1½g)	29⅛	28⅝	28⅝
13 Bown Bilt H	2⅛	2	2⅛
.80 Bown Bilt H 1 pf	28	28	28
1 Bown Bilt H 2 pf	6½	6½	6½
9 Brax T & T (.40g)	25⅛	25	25⅛
1 Bridgept M (1½g)	11	11	11
5 Brill A	14¾	14⅛	14⅛
2 Brill B	5⅛	5⅜	5⅜
1 Brill pf	64½	63¼	63¼
1 Brillo Mfg (.80)	11¾	11¼	11¼
6.50 Brown Co pf	57¾	56⅛	56⅜
1 Brown F&W (.15g)	13¾	13⅜	13⅜
1 Brown F Dist	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
2 Buckeye P L (1e)	48¾	48¼	48¾
1 Buf N&EP 1 pf (5)	102½	102	102½
1.50 Bunk Hill & S (1g)	133⅜	129	129
1 Burco (⅛e)	4⅝	⅝	⅝
1 Burma Ltd (.25g)	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
4 Burco war	⅜	⅜	⅜
1 Burry Biscuit	6½	6½	6½
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45 Cab & Wire B	⅝	⅝	⅝
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1 Can Ind Alc	6¼	6¼	6¼
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13 Carrier Corp	42	38½	38½
8 Carter (J W (.20g)	11	10¾	10¾
1 Casco Prod (2¾g)	28	28	28
5 Catalin Am (.40e)	9	8⅞	8⅞
.80 Celaneses 1st pf(7a)	111	110½	110½
2 Celluloid	14½	14	14½
.75 Celluloid pf	53	52	53
.10 Celluloid 1 pf	103½	103½	103½
21 Cen & SW Ut	4⅛	4	4
36 Cen St El	1⅞	1¾	1¾
3.50 Cen St El 6 pf	20	20	20
2 Centrif P (.40)	5¾	5¾	5¾
2 Chi Flex Shaft (4)	67¼	67	67
3 Chi Riv & Mch	17	16¾	16⅞
4 Chief Cons	1¾	1⅝	1⅝
2.75 Childs pf	88¼	87	87
119 Cities Service	10⅝	9¾	9¾
108 Ark Nat Gas A	11	10¼	10¼
17 Ark Nat Gas pf	9½	9¼	9¼
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7 Cit Service pf (7)	50	47¾	47¾
4 Cit Serv B pf	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
.75 Cit Svc P 7 pf	73	72	72
.50 Cit Svc P 6 pf	69	69	69
2 Cit Auto Stps (.15g)	13	12¾	12¾
48 Claude Neon Lts	3¼	2⅞	2⅞
1 Clayton & L (.15g)	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
2 Cleve Tract	11	10¼	10¼
1 Club Al Uten	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
7 Cohn & Ros (.30e)	8⅛	8¼	8¼
40 Colon Develop	7	6¾	6¾
3 Colon Dev cv pf	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
6 Colo Fuel & I war	19¾	18¼	18½
8 Colts Pat F (5½g)	65	62	62
.50 Colum G&E pf (5)	80	80	80
24 Colum O&G (.20e)	8⅞	8⅜	8⅜
23 Comm wlth&Sw war	⅞	¾	¾
.80 Comm Pub Sv (1a)	26¼	26¼	26¼
2 Comm Wat Svc	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
2 Compo SMvtcext(1)	16⅛	15⅞	15⅞
11 Cons Aire	29¼	28⅝	28⅝
33 Cons Cop Min	8¼	8	8
3 Cons G&E B (3.60)	79½	78¾	78¾
3 Cons Mng & S (2e)	90¾	89½	89½
7 Cons Ret Strs	9⅛	8¾	9⅛
1 Cons Royalty (.20)	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
84 Cons Sil Corp	16¼	15½	15½
7 Cons Gas Util	3⅛	3	3
5 Cont Roll & Stl	23	22¼	22¼
3 Cooper-Bess	28½	28½	28½
1 Copper Range	13¾	13½	13½
14 Cord Corp	4⅜	4⅛	4⅛
1 Corroon & Rey	6¾	6¾	6¾
10 Cosden Oil Me	2½	2⅛	2⅛
1 Courtaulds (.364e)	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
11 Creole Petr (1)	31¾	30¾	30¾
9 Crocker Wh (.10e)	16¼	16	16
17 Croft Brewing	1	⅞	1
14 Crown C Pet (.06e)	2⅜	2⅛	2⅜
2 Crown C Intl A (1)	14	14	14
16 Crown Drug (.20g)	4¼	4⅛	4¼
830 †Cusi Mex	⅜	⅜	⅜
D			
2 Darby Pet (½)	16	15¾	15¾
3 Darton Rub	26½	26	26
1 Darton Rub A (2k)	30½	30½	30½
10 Derby Oil	6⅝	6⅛	6⅛
4 Detroit Gasket (1)	16½	16¼	16¼
1 Det G&M pf (1.20)	17½	17½	17½
1 Det Mich Stove	7½	7½	7½
1 Det Paper P (1)	7¾	7¾	7¾
1 Detroit Stl P (¼g)	53	53	53
1 Distill Liq	9¼	9¼	9¼
1 Dow Chem (.60g)	146	146	146
.20 Draper Cor p (2.40a)	83	83	83
7 Dubilier Con	1¼	1¼	1¼
4 Duro Test (.10g)	7¾	7	7¼
2 Duval Tex (½e)	8¾	8⅝	8⅝
E			
18 Eagle Pich L (.10g)	23½	22¼	22¼
35 †Harvard Brew	3	2¾	2¾
8 †Hearn Dpts rts(1.65g)	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
37 †Hecla Min (.20e)	10¾	10	10
2 Helena Rubin A (1)	10¼	10¼	10¼
1 Heller W E (.40)	8	8	8
1.50 †Hires A (2)	42	41	41
4 Hollins Gold (.65a)	14½	14	14
1 Holophane (½g)	25½	25½	25½
.50 Horn & Hard (3)	39¼	39¼	39¼
31 †Hud Bay M&S (1)	36¼	35	35
6 Humble Oil (¾g)	80½	79	79
4 Hyerade Pd (1½g)	5	4¾	4¾
.90 Hygrade Sylv (1½g)	40¼	40½	40½
I			
1.50 Ill P&L 36 pf	60½	60	60
1 Ill P&L 6% pf	60	60	60
8 Imp Oil Can (½a)	23	22¾	22¾
1 Imp Tb Brit (.845g)	36¾	36¾	36¾
2 Imp Tb Can (.32½g)	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
7 Ind Pipe Line (.30g)	14	13¼	13¼
.25 Indus Finan pf	17	17	17
3 Ins Co N Am (2a)	67½	66¾	67¼
6 Int Holding	3¼	3	3
1 Int Hyd-El pf	31½	31½	31½
3 Int Met Indus A	18	18	18
22 Internat Pet (1½a)	36¾	35¾	35¾
2 Inter Prod	6¾	6¾	6¾
1 Inter Util A	17	17	17
6 Inter Util B	2¼	2	2
1 †Inter Vitamin (½)	6¾	6¾	6½
.10 Inters Pw Del pf	16¼	16¼	16¼
1 Invest Roy (.06a)	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
2 Iron Firem vtc(1.20)	24	23⅜	23⅜
6 †Irving Air Ch (1)	14⅛	14	14
1 †Ital Superpow A	1¼	1¼	1¼
J			
4 †Jacobs Co (1)	15½	15¼	15¼
2 †Jeann Glass (.60e)	10⅛	10	10
.50 JerCePAL5½pf(5½)	83	83	83
.20 JerCen P&L 7pf(7)	99	99	99
1 †Jonas & Na (.15g)	7	7	7
19 Jones & Lau Stl	123	120	120¼
K			
6 Kan City P S vtc	⅜	⅜	⅜
1 †Ken Rad T (⅛e)	24	24	24
51 †Kingston Pro (.40)	6¾	6⅛	6⅛
13 †Kirby Pet	6⅝	6⅛	6⅝
1 Kirkl LakeOM (.06e)	1¼	1¼	1¼
.75 †Koppers Co pf (6)	108	107	107
2 Kress S H pf (.60)	11¾	11¾	11¾
9 †Krueger Brew (1a)	17	16½	16½
L			
7 Lake Shore M (4)	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛
8 Lakey Fdy & M	7¼	6¾	6⅞
2 †Lefc Real pf	16	16	16
9 Lehigh C&N (.30a)	10¼	10	10
29 †Leonard Oil	1⅝	1½	1½
40 †Lion Oil (1)	19⅛	18¾	19
.25 Loblaw Groc A (1)	23	23	23
5 †Lock S Ch (.80a)	16¼	15½	15½
16 †Lockheed Aire	14	13⅛	13½
9 Lone Star Gas (.20e)	11⅛	11	11
9 Long Is Lt	5⅛	5	5
.20 Long Is L pf (7)	90	90	90
1 †Loudon Pack	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
1 †Louis L&E pf (.40)	12¾	12¼	12¼
1 †Lynch Corp (2a)	38¾	38½	38⅝
M			
1 †McCord Rad B	9¼	9¼	9¼
4 McWill Dredg (2)	32¾	31½	31¾
10 †Majestic Rad & T	4	4	4
2 †Mangel Strs	7¾	7½	7¾
1 Marc Int Mar(.266e)	8¾	8¾	8¾
4 †Marray Oil (½g)	29¼	28¾	28¾
3 Marion St Shov	19¾	19¾	19¾
5 Mass Util Asso	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
17 Massey Harris	15¾	14¾	15
2 †Master Elec (1)	23¾	23½	23½
1.50 †Mead John (3a)	119	115¼	115¼
2 †Memph N G (½e)	6¾	6¼	6¼
1 †Merritt-C & S	7⅛	7	7⅛
1 †Merritt-C & S pf A	61	61	61
79 Mesabi Iron	1½	1½	1½
23 Mich Bumper	4	4	4
5 †Michigan G & O	9	8⅝	8⅝
12 Michigan Sug	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
2 Mid St Pet A vtc	5¾	5¾	5¾
1 Mid St Pet B vtc	1¾	1¾	1¾
6 †Midwest	13⅜	13⅛	13⅜
7 Mid West A (.10e)	4¼	4	4
1 Mining Corp Can	4	4	4
.50 Minn Min&M (.40g)	37	37	37
1 Miss Riv Pow pf(6)	115	115	115
2 Mock J (.15g)	14½	14½	14½
20 †Molybdenum	9¼	9	9
2 Montr LH&P (1½)	31½	31½	31½
7 Mount Prod (.60)	6¾	6¾	6¾
N			
4 Nat Baking	12⅝	12½	12½
36 †Nat Bellas Hess	2½	2½	2½
9 Nat Contain (.15g)	11¼	11	11
3 Nat Fuel G (1)	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜
1 †Na GypsumA (2½e)	77½	77½	77½
1 †Nat Invest	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
1 Nat Leather	1¼	1¼	1¼
33 Nat Leather	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1 Nat Oil Prod (.30g)	41¾	41¾	41¾
4 Nat Rub Mch (.20e)	14	13¾	13¾
3 Nat Service	⅜	⅜	⅜
1 Nat Service pf	3½	3½	3½
4 Nat Stor Ref (2)	25½	25½	25½
1 Nat Trans (⅜e)	1¼	1¼	1¼
6 Nat Un Rad	2¾	2⅝	2⅝
4 Nehi Corp	52	50	50
1 †Nelson (H) (.65e)	15	15	15
1 Nestle Le Mur A	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
1 New Bradford (.10e)	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
2.50 NEPA 6pf cum pf(6)	80¼	79	79
3 †N Clock (1½)	25½	25	25
5.50 N J Zinc (2a)	88	87	87
1 N Mex&Ariz (.01e)	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
1 †Newmont Min (⅝a)	125	125	125
1 †New Process (3½e)	27¼	27⅛	27⅛
.50 †NY&HonRos (¾g)	30	30	30
2 †NY Merchand	14	14	14
1 NY Tel pf (6½)	118	117½	118
3 †Niag Hud Pow	1¼	1⅜	1⅜
7 †Niag Hud 6 deben	2	2	2
1 †Niag Hud B war	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
1.25 †Niag Hud 1 pf	92	92	92
6 Niag Sh Md B (.60e)	14⅞	14⅝	14⅝
12 †Nipissing Mns (¼g)	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
4 †Noma Elec (.40g)	7¼	7¼	7¼
2 †NorAmRayon A (½g)	43¾	43¼	43¼
1 †Nor Am Ray B (½g)	43	43	43
1 †Nor Am Ut Sec	3½	3½	3½
25 †Nor Europ Oil	⅜	⅜	⅜
20 †Nor Ind PS pf (6)	89¾	88½	89¾
2 †Nor Pac Ry A (.35g)	10¾	10½	10½
9 Nor St P A	32½	29	29
2 †Nowest Eng (¼g)	32½	31	31
O			
1 †Ohio Oil pf (6)	110	110	110
20 †Okla Nat Gas pf	12¾	12¼	12¼
1 †Okla Nat Gas pf	20¼	20¼	20¼
12 †Oldetyme Dist	5¼	4¾	5¼
P			
4 Pac G&E 1 pf (1½)	29½	29	29½
1 †Pac Pub Svc	6¾	6¾	6¾
1 †Pan Am Pet (1)	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
98 †Pantepec Oil	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
1 Pender Gr B (½e)	11	11	11
32 Penroad (¼e)	5⅛	5	5
.20 Pa P & L 6 pf (6)	106¼	106¼	106¼
.60 Pa P & L 7 pf (7)	108¾	108¾	108¾
.50 Pa Salt (1¼g)	47¼	47¼	47¼
1 †Pa Wat & Pow (4)	84½	84½	84½
.50 Pepperell (6)	126	125	125
1 †Phillips Pkg (½e)	13¼	13¼	13¼
24 †Phoenix Sec	10⅜	10	10⅛
4 †Pierce Gov (½e)	28¼	27¼	27¼
1 Pines Winterfront	3	3	3
5 †Pioneer Gold (.30a)	5½	5⅜	5⅜
15 Pitney-Bowes (.40)	8	8	8
7 †Pitts Forg	24¼	23¼	23⅛
5 Pitts Pl Gl (1g)	140½	138	138
3 †Plea Val W (.05g)	2	2	2
1 †Plough (1.20)	17¾	17¾	17¾
1 †Porttero Sugar	3¼	3¼	3¼
17 Powd & Alex (.60)	10⅞	10¾	10¾
48 Prem Gld (.12a)	3¼	3¼	3¼
109 Prod Corp	3⅛	3	3⅛
1 Prod Inv Tr B (¾e)	15½	15½	15½
.50 Prov Gas (.80)	10¾	10¾	10¾
2 †Pruden Inv (½e)	13	12⅞	12⅞
1 Pruden Inv pf (6)	102½	102½	102½
.60 P S Ind $6 pf	62	62	62
.60 P S Ind $6 pf	36	35½	35½
.25 P S of Pa (1¼k)	80½	80	80½
.50 Pug Sd P 6 pf	41½	41	41
1 †Pyrene (.90e)	12¼	12¼	12¼
R			
4 †Rainbow Lum A	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
.50 Raym Conc (¼e)	41	41	41
3 Raytheon Mfg vtc	6	6	6
2 †Red Bank Oil	16	16	16
1 †Red Rock Bit (.80a)	40	40	40
2 †Reiter-Post	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
17 Reynolds Inv	2½	2⅜	2⅜
1 Rice St D G (½g)	12	12	12
13 Richmond Rad	6½	6	6
11 †Roos Pet (1)	9½	9	9⅛
1 Rossis P Ave (⅛)	13½	13½	13½
6 †Rustless I & S	15¾	15¼	15¼
4 Ryan Cons	4½	4⅛	4¼
1 †Ryerson & Haynes	6½	6½	6½
S			
.50 Saf C H & L (1⅛g)	133	133	133
108 St Regis Pap	9¼	8¾	8¾
.25 St Regis Pap pf	110¼	110	110¼
1 †Savoy Oil	3¼	3¼	3¼
4 †Schiff Co (3)	40	39¼	39¼
1 Scoville Mfg (¼g)	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛
.25 Scr S B W S 36 pf	59	59	59
12 Segal Lock	3¼	3	3
7 Seiberling Rub	7¼	6⅞	6⅞
6 †Selected Indus	3⅜	3½	3½
3.50 †S Ind (al ct) (5½)	99½	99	99
4 †S Ind pr pf (5½)	96	95½	95½
2 †Sel Pr Strs (.094e)	2¼	2¼	2¼
1 †Sentry Safety Con	¾	¾	¾
2 †Seton Leath (½e)	11	11	11
1 †Severesky Aire	5¼	5⅛	5¼
43 †Shattuck Denn	21¾	20	20
5 Shaw W & P (.80)	29¾	29¾	29¾
2.50 Sherwin-Wms (4)	147	140	140
2 †Sim Hdwe & Pt	6	6	6
.20 Simmons Mfg (.60a)	333	330	330
2 †Solar Mfg	6¼	6⅛	6⅛
2 †Sonotone (.10e)	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
5 †Soss Mfg (⅛)	7⅛	6⅞	6⅞
1 †So Penn Oil (1½a)	44½	44½	44½
1 †So C Ed B pf (1½)	28¼	27¾	27¾
5 Sou Union Gas	4⅛	4	4
4 †Southl Roy (.10e)	8¾	8⅜	8⅜
3 †Span & Gen	1⅜	⅝	⅝
2 †Span & Gen B	⅝	⅝	⅝
2 †Spencer Ch C (.60)	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
.50 †Sp D Co A pf (2.20)	42	42	42
1 †Stahl Meyer	4	4	4
21 †St Oil Ky (1)	20¾	20½	20½
11 †St Oil Ohio (1)	43½	42¼	42¼
20 †St Pwr & Lt	5¾	5¾	5¾
3 †St Pwr & L pf	5	4½	4⅞
.50 †St Pwr & Lt pf	61	61	61
1 †Stand Pr (½)	19¼	19¼	19½
15 †Stand Sil-L (.04e)	⅜	⅜	⅜
3 †Stand Stl S (2½e)	32¾	31½	31½
14 †Starrett Corp vtc	8¼	7¾	8
1 †Sterchi B St (.30e)	10	10	10
.50 †Sterchi BS 1 pf(3)	39¼	39¼	39¼
9 †Sterl Al Pr (¾e)	11	11	11
14 †Sterling Inc (.20)	6	5¾	5¾
8 †Sterling Br (¾e)	7⅝	7¼	7½
.25 †Stetson (JB) (½g)	23¼	23¼	23¼
3 †Stinnes (H)	3½	3⅜	3⅜
1 †Stroock & Co (2)	29	29	29
1 Sullivan Mach	24	24	24

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Remington Rand Asks Impartial Labor Inquiry

Remington Rand, Inc., informed the House Labor Committee yesterday that it would welcome an impartial investigation of labor conditions in its plants.

A resolution calling on the Secretary of Labor to set up a board of inquiry is now before the committee. A strike broke out among the concern's employes last year, but management and union leaders recently drafted a peace agreement.

DIED.

BARKER, WILLIAM L. On Sunday, March 21, 1937, WILLIAM L. BARKER, the beloved husband of Rose Barker (nee McKay) and father of Sophie Barker and William L. Barker, Jr.; son of Roger F. Barker and brother of Roger L. and Theodore Barker and Mrs. Virginia Dodson, of Springfield, Va. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home, 517 Eleventh st. se., on Wednesday, March 24, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

BERGSETH, JOSEPH H. Suddenly, on Friday, March 19, 1937, Sergt. JOSEPH H. BERGSETH, U. S. A., husband of Martha E. Bergseth. Body resting at Tabler's funeral home, 4217 9th st. nw., until Wednesday, March 24, when services will be held in the chapel at Fort Myer at 2:30 p. m., followed by interment with military honors in Arlington National Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

BIRNIE, DOUGLAS PUTNAM. On Sunday, March 21, 1937, at his home, 1150 Connecticut ave. nw., DOUGLAS PUTNAM BIRNIE, D. D., in the eighty-first year of his age. Funeral from the Sixth Presbyterian Church, 16th and Kennedy sts. nw., on Tuesday, March 23, at 4:30 p. m. In deference to Dr. Birnie's wish, friends are requested not to send flowers. Interment Springfield, Mass.

BOWLES, GEORGE WEBSTER. On Sunday, March 21, 1937, at his residence, Riggs road, Hyattsville, Md., GEORGE WEBSTER BOWLES, beloved husband of Marie Bowles, father of George H. and John Hugh Bowles. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Wednesday, March 24, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Prospect Hill Cemetery.

CASSIDY, JANE G. On Monday, March 22, 1937, at Homeopathic Hospital, JANE G. CASSIDY, beloved daughter of the late Peter A. and Margaret Murray Cassidy. Funeral from the residence of her brother, Charles J. Cassidy, 1063 Michigan ave. ne., on Wednesday, March 24, at 9:30 a. m., thence to St. Anthony's Church, where mass will be offered at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Services by the W. W. Chambers Co.

CLARK, MARY ANN PURSELL. On Sunday, March 21, 1937, at her residence, 924 Independence ave. sw., MARY ANN PURSELL CLARK, beloved wife of the late Harry F. Clark. Services from the above residence on Wednesday, March 24, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

DAVIS, THOMAS. Suddenly, on Monday, March 22, 1937, at his residence, 53 V st. nw., THOMAS DAVIS, beloved husband of Maude I. Davis (nee McBurney). Funeral from his late residence on Thursday, March 25, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Glenwood Cemetery. Arrangements by P. A. Taltavull.

DRURY, WILLIAM J. A special communication of the New Jerusalem Lodge, No. 9, F. A. A. M., will be held in the Masonic Temple, 13th and New York ave. nw., on Wednesday, March 24, 1937, at 1 p. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of Brother WILLIAM J. DRURY. By order of

EARL J. BROWN,
Worshipful Master.

DRURY, WILLIAM J. On Monday, March 22, 1937, at his residence, 2725 36th place nw., WILLIAM J. DRURY, beloved husband of Mrs. Sarah B. Drury and father of Mrs. John Swartzell, aged 67 years. Funeral services on Wednesday, March 24, at 2 p. m., at Hysong's parlors, 1300 N st. nw. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

EDWARDS, CHARLES I. On Sunday, March 21, 1937, CHARLES I. EDWARDS, of 1301 Rhode Island ave. nw., beloved husband of Mrs. Alyce Edwards and son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Edwards, aged 29 years. Funeral services at Hysong's parlors, 1300 N st. nw., on Tuesday, March 23, at 2 p. m.

FEIDLER, JAMES E. On Sunday, March 21, 1937, JAMES E. FEIDLER, the beloved father of William T. Feidler. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home, 517 Eleventh st. se., on Tuesday, March 23, at 9:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Annandale, Va.

GRIGSBY, ANNIE E. On Sunday, March 21, 1937, at the residence of her daughter, 513 Nicholson st. nw., ANNIE E. GRIGSBY, the beloved wife of the late Milton C. Grigsby and mother of Mrs. L. H. Windsor, Mrs. Mabel Geyer, of West Point, Va.; Mrs. B. L. Rhodes, of Norfolk, Va., and aunt of Miss Mary E. Murray. Remains resting at her late residence in the state. Remains to lie in state in the Fifth Baptist Church, E st. between Sixth and Seventh sts. sw., from 12 noon until 2:30 p. m., Wednesday, March 24. Funeral services to be held at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery. Services by W. W. Chambers Co.

GRIGSBY, ANNIE E. The officers of the Rebekah Assembly, I. O. O. F., will assemble at the Fifth Baptist Church, E st. near 7th st. sw., at 2 p. m., Wednesday, March 24, 1937, to assist at the funeral services of our late sister, ANNIE E. GRIGSBY, past president of the Rebekah Assembly of the District of Columbia and past representative to the Association of Rebekah Assemblies.

CORA H. KINCER,
President of Rebekah Assembly.
Attest:
BEATRICE M. LAMPE, Secretary.

HANSON, CHARLES H. On Monday, March 22, 1937, at Baltimore, Md., CHARLES H. HANSON, beloved husband of Mrs. Annie W. Hanson and father of Joseph S. Hanson and Mrs. Edward W. McPherson. Funeral services at Hysong's parlors, 1300 N st. nw., on Wednesday, March 24, at 3:30 p. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

HAYES, CORA A. On Sunday, March 21, 1937, at her late residence, 17 Seaton pl. ne., CORA A. HAYES, the beloved sister of Mrs. Agnes C. Popkins and Luther F. Hayes. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Tuesday, March 23, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Glenwood.

HODGES, WILLIAM M. Suddenly, on March 20, 1937, at his residence, 1206 Pa. ave. se., WILLIAM M. HODGES, the beloved husband of Anna Belle Hodges (nee Smith) and father of Mrs. Rachael Shurbert and Mrs. Nellie Taylor. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Tuesday, March 23, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Ft. Lincoln Cemetery.

HORSMAN, ROSALEE. On Sunday, March 21, 1937, at his residence, 4014 North 20th st., Cherrydale, Va., ROSALEE HORSMAN, beloved wife of the late Joseph Horsman and mother of Ruby E. Horsman and Mrs. Edith L. Cunningham. Remains resting at her late residence after 3 p. m. Monday where funeral services will be held Wednesday, March 24, at 10:30 a. m. Interment Mount Hope Cemetery, Waxpool, Va.

KENNY, PATRICK JOSEPH. On Saturday, March 20, 1937, PATRICK JOSEPH KENNY beloved husband of Helen Weschler Kenny and father of Rita Marie Kenny, and beloved son of Minnie Kenny Walsh and the late John K. Kenny. Funeral from the residence of his aunt, Mrs. John Q. Sheehay, 1635 1st st. nw., on Tuesday, March 23, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Martin's Church, where requiem high mass will be offered at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

DIED.

LYNCH, MARY ALMA. Suddenly on March 20, 1937, at Emergency Hospital, MARY ALMA LYNCH, wife of the late William Lynch, of Round Hill, Va., and niece of Mrs. Edward Walker, of 1113 Allison st. nw. Funeral services at Hysong's parlors, 1300 N st. nw., on Tuesday, March 23, at 9:30 a. m., thence to St. Gabriel's Church, where mass will be offered for the repose of her soul. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

MADDOX, THOMAS. On Saturday, March 20, 1937, at Georgetown University Hospital, THOMAS MADDOX, beloved son of the late Lemuel W. and Sarah E. Maddox. Funeral from the James T. Ryan funeral home, 317 Penna. ave. se., on Tuesday, March 23, at 1 p. m. Interment Chicamuxen Methodist Church Cemetery, Chicamuxen, Md.

MARKS, LEONARD E. Suddenly on Saturday, March 20, 1937, at his residence, 100 Wilson ave., Colmar Manor, Md., LEONARD E. MARKS, beloved husband of Leola Marks. He is also survived by three children. Remains resting at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Grace E. Naylor, 300 Allison st. nw. Services at the above residence on Tuesday, March 23, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

MARTELL, LEWIS F. On Saturday, March 20, 1937, at Walter Reed Hospital, LEWIS F. MARTELL, JR., the beloved son of Lewis F. and Fannie Martell, of Frederick, Md. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Tuesday, March 23, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Richmond, Va.

TAYLOR, BERTHA M.—On Sunday, March 21, 1937, at Georgetown University Hospital, BERTHA M. TAYLOR, beloved wife of the late George W. Taylor and mother of Mrs. Kathleen Daly and George Taylor. Funeral from her late residence, 1316 34th st. nw., on Wednesday, March 24, at 8:30 a. m., thence to Holy Trinity Church, where mass will be said at 9 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

ROBINSON, OSCAR B. On Saturday, March 20, 1937, OSCAR B. ROBINSON, beloved husband of Katherine R. Robinson and father of Wilbur B. and Maynard C. Robinson. Funeral from his late residence, 4623 Kansas ave. nw., on Tuesday, March 23, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Adas Israel Cemetery.

RICKS, BESSIE E. On Saturday, March 20, 1937, at George Washington Hospital, BESSIE E. RICKS, the beloved wife of William C. Ricks and mother of Camille G. Ricks. Funeral services will be held at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Tuesday, March 23, at 10:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment strictly private.

SCHEFFEL, ANNA. On Saturday, March 20, 1937, at the residence of her son, 2613 South 11th st., Arlington, Va., ANNA SCHEFFEL, beloved wife of the late Jacob F. Scheffel. She is survived by six sons, Paul E., Albert C., Arthur W., Walter W., Carl B. and Charles L. Scheffel; one daughter, Mrs. Emma S. Blackmer, and one sister, Mrs. Fred Vogelsang. Remains resting at the residence of her daughter, 2701 11th st. south, Arlington, Va., where funeral services will be held on Tuesday, March 23, at 1 p. m. Interment Chestnut Grove Cemetery, Herndon, Va.

STALLINGS, NORMA V. On Sunday, March 21, 1937, at Children's Hospital, NORMA V. STALLINGS, beloved daughter of J. Paul Stallings and Dorothy E. Stallings. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Tuesday, March 23, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Richmond, Va.

TAYLOR, BERTHA M.—On Sunday, March 21, 1937, at Georgetown University Hospital, BERTHA M. TAYLOR, beloved wife of the late George W. Taylor and mother of Mrs. Kathleen Daly and George Taylor. Funeral from her late residence, 1316 34th st. nw., on Wednesday, March 24, at 8:30 a. m., thence to Holy Trinity Church, where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited.

WARD, LILLIE M. On Monday, March 22, 1937, at her residence, 241 Eighth st. ne., LILLIE M. WARD, beloved wife of James M. Ward and mother of Mrs. Amelia Vollmer, Mrs. Kenneth L. Golden and Willard A. Oldfield. Remains resting at the Lee funeral home, Fourth and Massachusetts ave. ne. Notice of funeral later.

WATKINS, HELEN. On Saturday, March 20, 1937, at her residence, 3002 Q st. nw., HELEN WATKINS, daughter of the late Robert and Sarah Watkins. Funeral services at Oak Hill Chapel on Tuesday, March 23, at 2 p. m.

WATKINS, ANNIE. On Sunday, March 21, 1937, at Homeopathic Hospital, ANNIE WATKINS, sister of the late Joseph D. Watkins. Services at her late residence, 1618 Decatur st. nw., on Tuesday, March 23, at 2 p. m. Interment Fairfax, Va.

Napoleon and Uncle Elby

By Clifford McBride

Legal Notices

TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1937—
ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

COLLATERAL SECURITY BY AUCTION. By virtue of a certain collateral note dated April 3, 1933, default having occurred in the payment of same, the undersigned holders thereof, will sell by public auction within the office of The Franklin Liquidating Trust, 945 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, on TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1937, at 11:10 O'CLOCK A. M., the collateral mentioned herein, namely, Sixteen (16) shares of capital stock of The Planters Bank & Trust Company of Staunton, Va., Certificate No. 141.

All parties in interest please take notice.
TERMS: Cash.

HENRY J. STERZER,
LINDSEY P. RAWLEY,
WILLIAM F. KELLY,
Trustees.

P—13,18,23.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP.
Name: "Lonsfellow Beauty Shop."
Business: Ownership, management and operation of a beauty parlor.
General partner: Gene I. Stacy, 653 E. Capitol st.
Special partner: James H. Edwards, 2311 Conn. ave.
Special partner's contribution: $2,500.
Commencement: March 18, 1937.
Termination: March 18, 1942, or sooner by mutual consent.

Auction Sales

THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1937—
ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

2 USTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE BUSINESS PROPERTY, 62-64 H STREET NORTHEAST.

By virtue of a decree of the District Court of the United States for the District of Columbia, passed in Equity Cause No. 61124, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale by public auction, in front of the premises, on THURSDAY, THE TWENTY-THIRD DAY OF MARCH, 1937, AT THREE-THIRTY O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described real estate, situate in the District of Columbia, to-wit: Parts of lots 3, 4 and 5, and all of lot 6 and the east one-half of lot 7 in J. Harry Thompson, trustees' subdivision of Square 676, as per plat recorded in Liber W. F., folio 100, of the records of the office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia, now being designated on the books of the assessor of the District of Columbia for taxation purposes as Lots 801 and 803 in Square 676, fully described in the final decree appointing trustees for sale of real estate, improved by premises 62 and 64 H street northeast.

TERMS OF SALE: Property to be sold subject to the unpaid balance of a first (building association) deed of trust amounting to approximately $14,991.06, together with interest at 6% from February 8, 1937, and subject further to the unpaid balance of a second deed of trust of approximately $6,468.05, together with interest at 6% from December 30, 1935; over and above said encumbrances, one-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, the balance in two equal installments represented by the promissory notes of the purchaser, payable in one and two years, with interest at six per cent per annum from day of sale, payable semi-annually, secured by deed of trust upon the property sold, or all cash, at option of purchaser. A deposit of $500.00 required of purchaser at time of sale. All conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps and notarial fees at cost of purchaser. Terms of sale to be complied with within thirty days from day of sale, otherwise trustees reserve the right to resell property at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C., or deposit may be forfeited, or without forfeiting deposit trustees may avail themselves of any legal or equitable rights against defaulting purchaser.

JAMES J. BECKER.
HARRY J. KANE, JR.,
Post:mar12.15.17.20.23 Trustees.

TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1937—
ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

COLLATERAL SECURITY BY AUCTION. By virtue of a certain collateral note dated December 12, 1929, default having occurred in the payment of same, the undersigned holders thereof will sell by public auction within the office of the Franklin Liquidating Trust, 945 Pennsylvania ave. nw., on TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1937, AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M., the collateral mentioned herein, namely, Certificate No. 301 for twenty (20) shares of preferred stock of Washington Convention Hall Company, formerly Convention Hall Bowling Alley, Inc.; Certificate No. 187 for thirteen (13) shares of common stock of Washington Convention Hall Company, formerly Convention Hall Bowling Alley, Inc.

All parties in interest please take notice.
TERMS: Cash.

HENRY J. STERZER,
LINDSEY P. RAWLEY,
WILLIAM F. KELLY,
Trustees.

P—Mar13,18,23.

The above sale is postponed by order of the trustees until Tuesday, March 30, 1937, at the same hour and place.

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Official Notices

COMMISSIONERS OF THE DISTRICT OF Columbia, March 8, 1937. A public hearing having been held by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia on December 14, 1936, in the matter of closing certain streets and alleys, and the said Commissioners being satisfied as to the equity, justice and advisability of said closings, and that the same is in the public interests and not detrimental to the interests of abutting property owners, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said Commissioners have prepared the following order; "ORDERED, That pursuant to the provisions of Public Act No. 307, approved December 15, 1932, TODD PLACE and U STREET between 2nd and 3rd Streets N.E., and PUBLIC ALLEYS in Square 3565, are hereby ordered CLOSED, same to take effect on and after March 30, 1937, all as shown on Map Numbered 2004 in the office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia, the title to the land comprised in the area so closed to revert to the abutting property owners, as shown on said map." Any and all parties interested must file objections to said closings in writing before the effective date of above order; otherwise said order shall become effective on March 30, 1937, as aforesaid, and said streets and alleys shall on and after said date become closed in accordance with the provisions of said act. MELVIN C. HAZEN, GEORGE F. ALLEN, DAN I. SULTAN, Commissioners, D. C.

Business Directory

It will pay you to consult these reliable firms. They are specialists in their respective lines.

For information regarding advertising rates or services not listed in this column call Miss Burns—National 4233.

BARTENDER.

BARTENDER.

The man who introduced the Sam Collins will personally mix and serve at your next party in your home. Telephone North 2671 and ask for "Sam," who was formerly in charge of the bar at the Kenwood Golf Club.

The Washington Post

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
LOCAL RATES.

For Washington and Points Within 50 Miles of the District of Columbia. The following rates are for consecutive insertions:

1 time.....18c per line.
3 times.....16c per line.
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30 times.....11c per line.

Classified Display 2c per line additional.

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OUT-OF-TOWN RATES.

Ads from points more than 50 miles from the District of Columbia are: 1 time, 20c per line; 3 times, 18c per line; 7 times, within 30 days, 16c per line; 30 times, within 60 days, 15c per line. Classified Display 2c per line additional.

Kind of estimate 5½ average words to a line.

Rates for special classification and yearly contracts furnished upon request.

The Washington Post reserves the right to edit, revise or reject any classified advertising.

Misclassification of ads not permitted.

The Washington Post will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion on any order.

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The Washington Post strives at all times to prevent insertion of fraudulent or misleading advertisements.

Information concerning any ad that proves misleading or fraudulent will be appreciated.

Phone NATIONAL 4200
Ask For An Ad-Writer

THESE DRUG STORES WILL TAKE YOUR WANT AD. DAY AND NIGHT.

Whittlesey's Drug Store,
3527 Connecticut Ave.

Suter's Drug Store,
1841 Columbia Road.

Park View Pharmacy,
Georgia Ave. and Park Road.

O'Donnell's Drug Store,
Wisconsin Ave. and P St.

Kight's Drug Store,
132 U St. N.E.

Kight's Drug Store,
3936 Georgia Ave.

The Jolson Pharmacy, Inc.
5000 First St. N.W.

Connecticut Pharmacy,
1511 Connecticut Ave.

The Chevy Chase Pharmacy,
5510 Connecticut Ave.

The Cavalier Pharmacy,
3500 14th St. N.W.

Alaska Ave. Pharmacy,
7806 Alaska Ave.

Wilson Drug Co.
1734 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, Va.

Paul's Drug Store,
901 4th St. S.W.

Business Directory

BUILDING MATERIAL.

Lumber, Millwork, Roofing and Insulite. MURPHY & AMES. Rosslyn, Falls Church, Va. WEst 2315.

CAMERA REPAIRING.

Camera Repairing.
FULLER & D'ALBERT, INC.
815 10th St. NW. Phone NAt. 4712.

CARPENTER—BUILDER.

GENERAL HOUSE REPAIRING.
Remodeling — Free Estimates.
O. H. BURTON. GR. 3127.

ELECTRICAL REPAIRING.

HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES.
Lamps, vacuums, irons, etc., repaired reas. Call AD. 4245; 4015 Ga. ave. nw.

FALSE TEETH REPAIRED.

"WHILE YOU WAIT." Emergency Laboratory, Room 601 Westory Building, 14th and F sts. nw. Hours, 8 to 6. MEt. 1833.

FLOOR WORK

FLOORS done "The Wright Way." Laying, Scraping, Finishing. Reasonable rates. Call us for free estimate. Wright's Floor Service, 6401 8th st. nw. GE. 2119.

FLOOR SANDER for rent, $4 day. Wallpaper steamer, $2 day. General Home improvements. Ferris & Co. RA. 0070.

FURNITURE CLEANED.

FURNITURE CLEANED in your home by shampoo process. Satisfaction guar. Wash. Electric Rug Clean. Co. ME. 9024.

MOVING—STORAGE

UNION STORAGE CO., INC.
705 Fla. Ave. N.W. NOrth 0104.
Storage, Separate Rooms, $7 Month Up. Movings by Careful Men.

TERMINAL VAN & STORAGE CO.
Complete moving, packing and shipping service. Fireproof warehouse. Insured. WE. 1846.

ROOFING.

ENTERPRISE ROOFING CO.
ROOFING—SIDING—INSULATION.
Estimates Free—Terms If Desired.
2125 R. I. Ave. N.E. PO. 0200.

Roofs, asbestos, side walls, rock wool insulation. No down payment. 3-year-payment plan. No red tape.
AMERICAN RE-ROOFING CO., INC.,
3314 14th St. NW. CO. 4451, CO. 4170.

PLUMBING AND HEATING.

$325 VALUE OIL BURNER installed complete, $235. All makes serviced.
K. & W. HEATING CO.
1132 9th St. N.W. DI. 0046.

RUG CLEANING.

RUGS DOMESTIC SHAMPOO 9x12....$3.00 8x10....$2.50
LUWIN CO., 1725 7TH ST. NO. 9160.

Lost and Found 1

You can phone your "Lost" Ad to The Post as late as 11 p. m. for publication the following morning and thus immediately notify nearly 100,000 families of your loss. (Except on Saturday, when deadline is 4 p. m. for Sunday's Post.) Call NAtional 4200

BROOCH LOST—Round, enameled coat of arms surrounded by small jewels. Monday, vic. Conn. ave.; liberal reward. NO. 8267.

COCKER SPANIEL—Dark brown, white chest, green collar, vicinity of 30th & Q st. nw. Reward. NOrth 5076-J.

COCKER SPANIEL lost. Female, brown. Lost Friday. 1500 block R St. N.W. Reward. Call RA. 3923.

DIAMOND RING—Lost in ladies' room, 6th floor, Garfinckel store, Saturday, March 20. Reward. Finder please communicate through Box 276, Washington Post.

DOGS FOUND MARCH 22.
Collie, brown and white, male.
Hound, black and tan, male.
Terrier, shaggy, redd ish brown female.
Call Miss Joyce, NAt. 4200, br. 314.

FOUND IN DIAMOND CABS
Bible in Cab 597.
Compact in Cab 906.
Lady's straw hat in Cab 1.000.
Lost and Found Department NO. 2868.

POCKETBOOK, blue leather, containing money, compact, keys, in Chevy Chase, D. C., March 22. Reward. EM. 5616.

PURSE—Black velvet. Lost nr. Wash. Airport. Especially interested in contents of personal value. Reward. EM. 6341.

RING LOST—White sapphire, gold band. Thursday evening, ladies' rest rm., Hamilton Hotel. Has personal value. NA. 3120, Ext. 379 or GE. 2113.

WRIST WATCH—Lost, silver with silver mesh strap in front of Riggs Market on F st. between 14th, 15th sts. Sentimental value. Reward. Jackson 1423.

Personals 3

CHILDREN BOARDED—Experienced supervision; yard; hr., day or wk. GR. 1387-R.

DUDLEY—Please get in touch with mother at once.

SCALP TREATMENTS by Graduate Nurse. For appointment call LIncoln 1992.

CHAMBERS CO.
One of the Largest Undertakers in the World
CHEST colds & chronic pains treated with infra-red and ultra-violet ray. PO. 4721.

HEMORRHOIDS (piles) eradicated by my own method; results effective for a lifetime or money back. Write for booklet. No drugs or surgery. DR. SOMMERWERCK, 1365 Columbia rd. AD. 0388.

CHAMBERS CO.
Complete Funeral as Low as $75.

Help—Female 11

Women—If you don't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situation Wanted" Ad in The Post. A 3-line ad costs only 27 cents.

BEAUTY APPRENTICES—Earn while learning. 1363 Conn. ave. nw., 12 to 9.

CHILD'S NURSE—(White) year around position on estate in Virginia; age 35 or under; older children home week ends; first-class references and experience necessary. Write full particulars, Mrs. Charles Cushman, Windsor Farm, Upperville, Va.

Post Classified Ads—National 4200.

Help—Female 11

COUNTER GIRLS and waitresses. Ruth's Cafeteria, 524 11th st. nw.

COOKS.
Restaurant experienced necessary; white; age 25 to 40. Apply in person.
D. C. Public Employment Center
456 Indiana Ave. NW.
No Fee.

DANCING instructor—Private school; part time; children's classes only. Write Box M-712, Washington Post.

GIRLS—For distributing house to house samples. Apply 9 to 12. 1849 7th st. nw.

GIRL—Colored, for laundry work; must be able to back shirts. Apply 3062 Mt. Pleasant st. nw.

GIRL—(Colored) neat, excellent cleaner, from Georgetown; 3 times week; $4 and carefare. Wis. 3958-J.

HOSTESS, exp., and to type menu; also 2 waitresses; ref. required. Apply 1734 14th st. nw.

LADIES—3 over 21, of refinement, who can work 5 hours or more daily; pay dependent on hours worked. Not house to house. Apply Room 205, 1427 Eye st. nw.

SALESLADY—Permanent position; experienced in dresses and coats; salary and commission. Apply R. Abramson, Inc., 1032 7th st. nw.

SALESWOMEN, experienced in specialty shop trade, for dresses, coats and suits. Apply between 2 and 4 p. m. to Mrs. David Frank, 1210 F st. nw.

STENOGRAPHERS, TYPISTS, bookkeepers needed daily; current openings; visit PERSONNEL SERVICE, 1311 G St. NW.

WAITRESSES, experienced, over 18 years of age. Apply 5111 Georgia ave. nw.

WAITRESS-MAID—Experienced; $30 mo. Apply ready to work. 1333 K st. nw.

WAITRESS; exp. Apply at once, 5915 Georgia ave. nw.

Help—Male 12

Men—If you can't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situations Wanted" ad in The Post. A 3-line ad costs only 27 cents.

BARBER, American, first-class. Apply, 5020 Conn. ave. nw.

BARBER, first class, American. 4925 Georgia ave. nw.

BARBER wanted; first-class; steady job. 1327 11th st. nw.

BARBER—American, for this week; good guarantee. 845 Upshur st. nw.

BOOTBLACK for barber shop; good worker and steady. 3551 Georgia ave. nw.

BRICKLAYERS wanted at 5923 2nd st. nw. Apply today.

CLERK—Experienced for grocery and general merchandise store; references. Call Rockville 128, Rockville, Md.

DRIVER—Experienced; reference. Master Cleaners & Dyers. 607 H st. ne.

MAN—Settled, middle age, stock room, N. F. Turner, rear 1417 P st. nw.

MAN of neat appearance to travel with manager of national concern. See Mr. Farley, Room 406, 1319 F st. nw.

MAN—22 to 35, with managerial sales experience; permanent job; excellent future; must be satisfied with $100 first month. Apply to Mr. Knox, Eastern Sales Manager, 9 to 12, Room 205, 1427 Eye st. nw.

MANAGER of large firm will interview men over 21, for 3 permanent positions; neatness and references necessary; about $25 weekly to start with guaranteed increase. Apply 9 to 12, Room 205, 1427 Eye st. nw.

MEN (2), neat-appearing; unusual opportunity for advancement in established business. Rm. 304, 1317 F st. nw.

MEN (3), closed cars; delivery work; reliable; references. 622 K st. nw.

PORTER (colored), 1015 L Street northwest.

PRESSER wanted; 1st class; steady job. Also tailor wanted. 1534 Wisconsin ave. nw.

PRESSER, first class, wanted. 607 H st. ne.

SHORT ORDER COOK—Experienced, and dishwasher. Scotty Restaurant, 3642 Georgia ave. nw.

UPHOLSTERY and drapery man; thoroughly exp.; good job for right man. Box 277, Washington Post.

USED-CAR SALESMEN—(2), good men who are willing to work; a fine opportunity. See Mr. Moorhead, Anacostia Motors, 1325 Good Hope rd. se.

YOUNG MAN (white); neat appearing, with driver's permit, for delivery truck. Miller Upholstery Co., 2622 14th st. nw.

BOYS wanted for messenger work. Apply POSTAL TELEGRAPH, 1420 New York Ave. N.W.

TWO MEN.
Salesmen — drawing account — Electrical Appliance Store has opening for 2 men. Sales experience valuable but not absolutely necessary. Must have good references for position that is permanent with opportunity of early promotion to man who shows ability. Apply 724 11th st. nw., at 9:30 to 11:30 a. m. No other time.

A GREAT OPPORTUNITY for the RIGHT MAN.
HE MUST DO HIS OWN THINKING.
HE MUST BE SUCCESS-MINDED.
HE MUST HAVE HIS EYES ON THE HORIZON—NOT IN THE GUTTER.
Our work is the home-port for men who can strike out on the high seas of success and keep going—
BUT IS NOT A HAVEN FOR MEN WITH LOST HOPE.
Others are making from $40 to $90 a week without investment, without buying anything or making a deposit.
The man who wishes to sit at a window WAITING FOR THE OLD JOB TO come walking by to pick him up, is not invited into conference with us.
No matter what you've done, or how long you've done it, or how long it took you to learn it—we will bet on you succeeding here if you will apply yourself intelligently and do as you are told.
We require full time, for it is the building of a permanent career for a man that we are interested in.
It is not a sick man's job—or a tide-over job. We want the man only—who is not too old—not too young—but who has the right ideas of work and responsibility.
In our ranks are hundreds of men formerly from all trades, business and professions.
Men who can qualify will be interviewed Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock sharp, and at 2 o'clock sharp Tuesday afternoon, March 23.
101 MEZZANINE FLOOR
MUNSEY BUILDING.

Post Classified Ads—National 4200.

Help—Male 12

USED CAR SALESMEN
A FINE PROPOSITION FOR WILLING WORKERS; TRANSPORTATION AND GAS FURNISHED; HIGHEST COMMISSIONS PAID. APPLY "USED CAR DEPARTMENT," ANACOSTIA MOTOR CO., 1325 GOOD HOPE RD. S.E.

DRIVERS OF UNION CABS ARE EARNING
Real Money on the New Fleet of PLYMOUTH and DODGE Cabs.
FREE CLASSES DAILY
FOR STUDENT INSTRUCTION
TO OBTAIN IDENTIFICATION CARDS.
UNION TAXICAB ASSOCIATION.
1260 22d St. N.W.

3 MEN
We have vacancies in established routes for good men willing to work 8 hours per day in D. C., and suburban territories; experience not necessary. WE TRAIN YOU. Good income. Apply 813 K st. nw., 9-12 a.m.

CAB DRIVERS
NEW CABS AVAILABLE
FREE CLASSES
FOR HACKER'S LICENSE
BELL CAB CO.
1317 L ST. N.W. ME. 1727.

BOYS
16 years of age or over, with bicycles, wanted at once for messenger work; permanent employment with good pay. Apply 1317 New York ave. nw. Mr. Schryver.

DIAMOND CABS
STUDENT INSTRUCTION FOR TAXICAB IDENTIFICATION CARDS
NO FEE
ON BEHALF OF THE MEMBERS OF THE I.T.O.A. Inc.
SEE MR. JOHN ROBEY
1735 14TH ST. N.W.
9 A. M. TO 5 P. M.

Help—Male-Female 13

LOCAL NEWSPAPER has opening. Apply Mr. Charles Mague, 1209 31st st. nw.

MEN and women (Catholic); publication campaign; real opportunity; $20 to $25 weekly percentage to those accepted. See Mr. Bannon, 918 F st. nw., Room 509.

SINGERS WANTED—To complete mixed glee club. Phone Ra. 4270.

Employment Agencies 14

RUPHER'S Employment Agency can furn. colored domestic help; ref. DE. 3551.

Situations—Female 16

COMPANION to lady and child; take entire charge of home; would travel; drive car. RA. 0730.

EXPERIENCED—Laundry at home or day work cleaning office bldg. refs.; DE. 2786.

GIRL—(Colored) part time; full or days; good housekeeper and cook. LIncoln 3919-R.

GIRL—Reliable, colored, wants morning work, Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri. Call between 1-4 p. m. EM. 4808.

NURSE—Physiotheraphy; daily serv., 11 to 11, and exp. masseuse. 722 Lexington st., Baltimore, Md., 3d floor, Apt. 3.

Situations—Male 17

COOK, chauffeur, butler (col.), age 22, exp., free to travel, ref. DE. 1478-J.

MAN (col.) wants situation as a chauffeur. FO. 0611-J, 9 a. m.

SPANISH TRANSLATOR—Good references from a New York corp., would like evening work. District 1474, from 9 to 5.

Instructions 19

BE SUCCESSFUL — Earn more. Learn Stenography, Touch Typing, Calculating Machines, Bookkeeping, Accounting, etc. Start TODAY. New classes forming. BOYD'S SCHOOL, 1333 F st. NAt. 2338.

NEW CLASSES—Civil Service accounting and secretarial courses. Potest's Business College, NAt. 4717, 14th and Eye sts. nw.

SHORTHAND—TYPING
CALCULATING MACHINES.
WOOD'S SCHOOL, 7105 14TH ST. N.W.

LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE
Complete course, $50; terms, $3 a wk. Permanents, $1.50; finger wave and shampoo, both for 25c. Free finger waves and marcelles Mon., Tues. and Wed. "Stevens," 716 7th st. nw. ME. 8133.

Business Opportunities 23

BAR BE QUE and Restaurant for sale. Will Sacrifice. Inquire on premises, 2022 Lee Highway.

BEAUTY SHOP—(Ga. ave.); well equipped; $175 average weekly business; owner leaving and must sell this week; make an offer. Miss McCown, 1008 H st., MEt. 4813.

CAFETERIA—Doing $250 daily business; rent, $150 monthly; 6-year lease; price only $15,000; terms arranged. Capital Adjusting & Finance Co., 1008 H st. nw.

GROCERY—Downtown; doing $700 cash business weekly (sickness); $5,500; terms. Joseph Hollander, 1008 H st. nw.

ROOMING HOUSE—(14th and Fairmont); 15 rooms, 3 baths; rent, $110; nice income; $2,000; terms. Mrs. Keach, 1008 H st.

ROOMING HOUSE—Downtown; 10 l.-h.k. rms.; rent $70; $800; smi. dwn. pymnt. Miss Price, 923½ N. Y. ave. nw. DI. 2707.

ROOMING HOUSE, 10 rooms, excellent location; priced cheap for quick sale. See Mr. Magee, 1006 H st. nw.; NA. 1002.

ROOMING, BOARDING, 17 rooms, 5 baths; present income about $600 monthly; this is a profitable business in fine location. Mr. Magee, 1006 H st. nw. National 1002.

ROOMING-BOARDING (14th and Kenyon) 12 nicely furnished rooms, 2 baths; rent, $85; oil heat; income $400. Owner will sacrifice for only $1,400.
R. M. DE SHAZO.
1123 14th St. N.W. NA. 5520

WE HAVE MANY paying propositions on restaurants, hotels, delicatessens, beauty shops, rooming houses, parking lots, liquor, grocery and flower stores.
GASTON

DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY — The Mask of Death — By Frank V. Martinek

Lieut. Comdr., U. S. N. R.

TASMIA HAS ESCAPED TO A REMOTE CASTLE IN THE WEST INDIES—THE PRESIDING GENIUS OF THIS PLACE IS A MYSTERIOUS WOMAN KNOWN AS THE MASK OF DEATH, WHOSE STONY SMILE HAS BEEN FROZEN BY SOME UNKNOWN FATE—IT IS WHISPERED THAT SHE IS THE DAUGHTER OF THE VANISHED SCORPION AND THAT SHE IS TRAINING A BATTALION OF YOUNG WOMEN AS SPIES TO CARRY OUT A PROGRAM OF DESTRUCTION AGAINST THE UNITED STATES--
BAH! CENTAUR WAS A WEAK FOOL LIKE ALL MEN—I WILL TRUST NONE OF THEM AGAIN!
MY OTHER YOUNG WOMEN ARE NOT YET READY—I RELY UPON YOU FOR THIS ALL-IMPORTANT MISSION
YES, MADAME, BUT WINSLOW IS—
FORGET WINSLOW-- HE ONLY EXECUTES THE ORDERS OF HIS SUPERIOR IN WASHINGTON-- IT IS HIS CHIEF THAT I SEND YOU TO DESTROY—CAPTAIN HOLDING
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JANE ARDEN — Trouble Knocking at the Door — By Monte Barrett and Russell Ross

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I REALLY ROCKED THIS BABY TO SLEEP. HE'S LISTENING TO THE BIRDIES!
NOW SEE IF YOU CAN GET INTO HIS OUTFIT
I'LL LOCK HIM IN HERE UNTIL WE'RE THROUGH!
HMM—NOT BAD!
I'LL SEE HER IF SHE'S IN THERE!
REMEMBER, GET A GOOD LOOK AT THAT GIRL!

THE G-MAN! — BY GEORGE CLARK AND LOU HANLON

COME TO OUR CABIN! WE MUST TALK!
HAVE YOU GOT THE MARKS FROM BORIS!
THE DRAGON CHARM!
WE THINK THAT A CERTAIN PERSON ON THIS BOAT IS A G-MAN!
HE HAS A LITTLE BOY WITH HIM!
I WILL TRY TO FIND OUT ALL ABOUT THEM!

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NED, DID THE LETTER YOU FOUND SAY FOR SURE DUNK'S DAD IS COMING TO SEE HIM PITCH?
PIPE DOWN, GUYS—HERE COMES DUNK!
I LOST A LETTER SOMEWHERE—ANY OF YOU SEE IT?
A LETTER? NO—WE DIDN'T, DUNK
IT'S A CINCH COACH! USE OUR BEST PITCHER, BUD SHEKELS—WHAT CAN WE DO?
IT LOOKS HOPELESS—WELL, WE'VE GOT TO MEET DUNK'S DAD AND SHOW HIM AROUND

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HELP! POLICE! MURDER!
OH—OH!
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WAIT A MINUTE! WHAT'S GOIN' ON AROUND HERE?
GLUG, GLUG! OUR FRIEND, TH' CHIEF, HE'S DRUNK TOO MUCH FIREWATER AN' WANTS TO PLAY GAMES!
GLUG
SO THAT'S IT! PLAYFUL, EH? WELL, I'LL FIX THE LITTLE FURRINER UP SO YOU CAN GET HIM HOME!
HEH! HEH!
HEY! STOP PUSHIN'!
UGH! PALEFACE BRACELETS PINCH UM PAWS!
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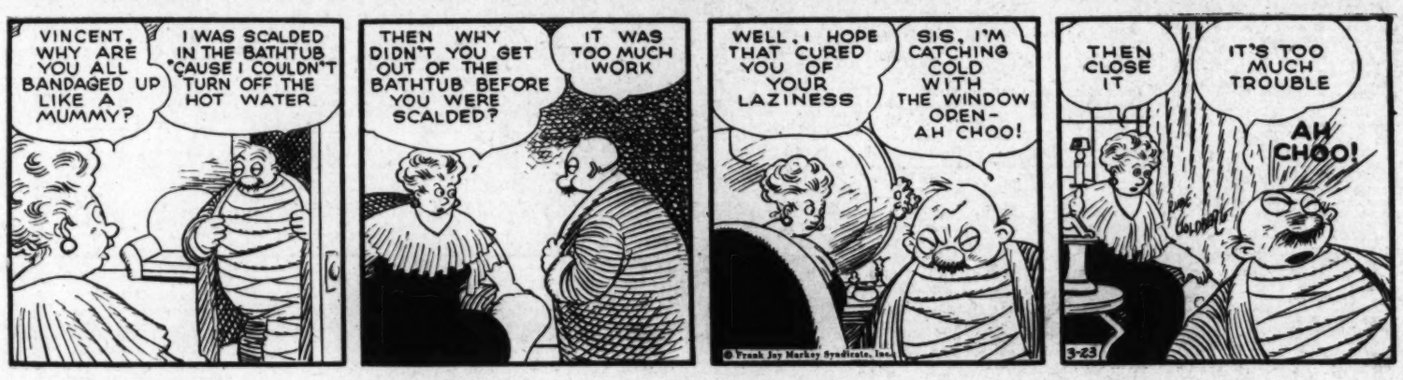
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I WAS SCALDED IN THE BATHTUB 'CAUSE I COULDN'T TURN OFF THE HOT WATER
THEN WHY DIDN'T YOU GET OUT OF THE BATHTUB BEFORE YOU WERE SCALDED?
IT WAS TOO MUCH WORK
WELL, I HOPE THAT CURED YOU OF YOUR LAZINESS
SIS, I'M CATCHING COLD WITH THE WINDOW OPEN—AH CHOO!
THEN CLOSE IT
IT'S TOO MUCH TROUBLE
AH CHOO!
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DO YOU THINK MICKEY'S UNCLE IS REALLY SICK?
NAW—HE'S JUST LOW BECAUSE IT TOOK ALL HIS DOUGH TO GET OUTTA THAT OIL JAM!
SURE—HE'LL BE ALL RIGHT!
GEE TOM—I COULDN'T GO HOME AND LEAVE HIM HERE SICK!
HE ONLY THINKS HE'S SICK, PARDNER—AH JUST SENT UP HIS CLOTHES—OUR COOK GOT ALL THE OIL OFF 'EM!
COME IN!
'LO MISTER PHIL. HOW YOU FEELEE?
HUH—I'M DYIN' AND THEY SEND ME A CHINAMAN!
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YUH DIDN'T BELIEVE ME WHEN I TOLD YUH YOU WERE DENNIE'S FATHER, SO I BRUNG ALONG SOME OLE PICTURES OF MARY'S TO PROVE IT. WAIT'LL YUH SEE 'EM, SLIM.
YOU'RE CRAZY BILL. I'M NOT RELATED TO MARY.
HOW'D YA KNOW? YUH CAN'T REMEMBER ANYTHING THAT HAPPENED MORE THAN A YEAR AGO—
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YUH GOTTA BE RELATED TO SOMEBODY. YUH DIDN'T JUST GROW ON A VINE.
WELL, IT'S FUNNY NOBODY TRIED TO CLAIM ME, UNTIL I SAID I WAS WEALTHY.
NOBODY'S CLAIMIN' YUH NOW. ALL I WANT IS PART OF YER MONEY FER DENNIE.
YOU MEAN FOR YOURSELF. BUT YOU'LL NEVER GET IT, AND HERE GO YOUR FAKE PICTURES.
MARTHA ORR

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HERE SHE IS, GANG!— DIXIE DUGAN — THE LIFE O' THE PARTY!
RAY!
HOWDY
—AND ME WITH A WEAK HEART!— OH ME!
SHE'S DELIGHTFUL DELICIOUS DE-LOVELY
?? — WHERE'S DIXIE?
DID YOU SAY "LIFE" OF THE PARTY?—
LOOK!
AND MRS. HACKET WILL BE ALONE FOR EASTER
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JOE PALOOKA — Drop Me Sir! — By Ham Fisher

I SAID HOW DARE YOUSE COME HERE?
GULP BRRFSSK AHEMMM-AHA!! S-SO I WAS RIGHT!! HIDING HIM HERE!!
YOU THOUGHT YOU COULD FOOL ME!! BRRFSK---- CLEVER, BUT NOT CLEVER ENOUGH!! GRRMFF!!
JOSEPH-YOU COME WITH ME! AND YOU SIR-I SHALL HAVE CHARGES BROUGHT---- SEE HERE----
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Suburban Lots 69A

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Dogs, Cats, Pets 79

COCKER PUPPIES—Healthy, pedigreed dogs. Rex. A.K.C. 4505 Brandywine st. nw.

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DOBERMAN PINSCHER; young male; after imp. stock. J. Christensen, AD. 3827.

Horses—Livestock 81

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